under Section XI. of the Amended Rules from the date on which he may make over charge of his duties to Mr. Berford.

Appointment.—Mr. George Montague Balfourbrough Berford to officiate as Magistrate and Collector of Mozuffernugger, during the absence of Mr. Craigie.

No. 3952 of 1853.

Judicial Department.

Leave of Absence.—The leave of absence granted, in orders of the 17th August last, to Sheikh Momin Ally, Sudder Ameen of Aligurh, is extended to the 29th July 1853.

No. 3966 of 1853.

Mr. Reginald Thornton, Register of the Sudder Dewanny and Nizamut Adawlut, N. W. Provinces, for fifteen days, on Medical certificate, under Section VIII. of the Amended Absentee Rules, in extension of the leave granted to him [illegible] the 12th July last.

No. 3974 of 1853.

Mr. Philip Wodehouse French, Judge of Seharunpore, for six weeks, on Medical certificate, under Section VI. of the Amended Absentee Rules, in extension of the leave for ten days, granted to him in orders of the 20th ultimo.

No. 3976 of 1853.

Agra, the 13th October 1853.

Notification.—The services of Assistant Surgeon Charles Francis Warneford, M. D., Civil Assistant Surgeon of Futtehpoor, are placed at the disposal of His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief.

No. 3991 of 1853.

Judicial and Revenue Department.

Leave of Absence.—Mr. William James Hay, Junior Assistant to the Commissioner of Kumaon, for ten months, on Medical certificate, under Section VIII. of the Amended Absentee Rules, from the date on which he may relinquish his duties.

Appointment.—Mr. Charles Elliott Trevelleau to officiate as Junior Assistant to the Commissioner of Kumaon during the absence of Mr. Hay, or till further orders.

No. 3995 of 1853.

Leave of Absence.—Mr. Hervey Harris Greathed, Magistrate and Collector of Cawnpore, for fifteen days, under Section XI. of the Amended Absentee Rules, from the date on which he may make over charge of his duties to Mr. Power.

Appointment.—Mr. John Power to officiate as Magistrate and Collector of Cawnpore during the absence of Mr. Greathed.

By order of the Government, North-Western Provinces.

W. Muir,
Secy. to Govt., N. W. P.

General Orders by the Most Noble the Governor General of India in Council.

Fort William, the 18th October 1853.

No. 830 *of* 1853.—The Most Noble the Governor General of India in Council is pleased to make the following promotions:—

12th Regiment Native Infantry.

Captain and Brevet Lieutenant Colonel John Studholme Hodgson to be Major, ...	From the 28th of August 1853, in succession to Major William Andrew Ludlow, deceased.
Lieutenant Robert Chardin Wroughton to be Captain of a Company,	
Ensign William Charles Lane Ryves to be Lieutenant, ...	

No. 831 *of* 1853.—The under-mentioned gentlemen are admitted to the Service in conformity with their Appointment by the Hon'ble the Court of Directors, as Cadets of Artillery, Cavalry and Infantry on this Establishment, and promoted to the rank of 2nd Lieutenant, Cornet and Ensign respectively, from the dates assigned to them in Government General Order, No. 669, of the 23rd August 1853, leaving the date of the Commission of Mr. Cuppage for future adjustment:—

	Date of Arrival at Fort William.
Artillery.	
Mr. James Hills, ...	15th October 1853.
„ Foster John Cunliffe, ...	
„ George Mytton, ...	
Cavalry.	
Mr. Burke Cuppage, ...	Ditto ditto.
Infantry.	
Mr. John Power Burton, ...	Ditto ditto.
„ David Crawford Warren,	
„ Henry Lumsden Hawkins,	
„ Philip Crampton Rynd, ..	
„ Eric Stanhope Fox, ...	

R. J. H. Birch, *Lieut.-Colonel,*
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of India, Mily. Dept.

The following Copy of Her Majesty's Order in Council is published by order of the Calcutta Sudder Court.

(Signed) C. T. Buckland,
Register.

R. Lowe, Esq., M. P.,
&c. &c. &c.

Sir,

Her Majesty having been pleased, by Her Order in Council of the 13th June ultimo, to approve and sanction certain Rules and Regulations in Appeals to the Queen in Council from the Colonies and the Territories of the East India Company, (copy whereof is transmitted to you with another letter of this date,) I am directed by the Lord President of the Council to state to you for the information of the Commissioners for the Affairs of India, that the Lords of the Judicial Committee have taken into consideration the amount of security now required by the Courts of Sudder Dewanny Adawlut from Appellants to the Queen in Council, as security for the costs of

the Respondent in the event of the appeal being dismissed.

The amount of this security appears to have been fixed by Resolutions or Decisions of the Sudder Courts, and since the year 1646 it has been raised to 10,000 Rupees.

The Lords of the Judicial Committee have not thought it expedient to interfere with this discretionary power by recommending Her Majesty to establish any fixed and invariable rule on this subject, but their Lordships are of opinion that as the costs of prosecuting an Appeal to England will be materially diminished by the operation of Her Majesty's Order in Council of the 13th June ultimo, the security required of Appellants for costs ought henceforth to be fixed at 4,000 Rupees, except in cases of extraordinary magnitude and importance, in which the Judges of the Courts of Sudder Dewanny Adawlut may think it necessary to require of the Appellant a security to a larger amount, which should in no case exceed 10,000 Rupees.

I am therefore to request that you will move the Commissioners for the Affairs of India to cause this opinion and recommendation of the Lords of the Judicial Committee to be communicated to the Judges of the Courts of Sudder Dewanny Adawlut, in order that the same may be carried into effect by such Courts, and that (if necessary from the present state of the law on this subject), the same may be embodied in an Act of the Legislative Power of India.

I have the honor to be, &c.,

(Sd.) W. L. Bathurst.

Council Office, Whitehall, 7th July 1853.

No. 4451.

Marine Court.

At a Court assembled on Monday, the nineteenth of September, One Thousand, Eight hundred and Fifty-three, under Act No. XXI of 1845, Mr. Master Pilot Thomas Scallan was tried on the following charge:—

Charge.

For neglect of duty in the following instance:—

Upon the sixth day of June last, at the Sand-Heads, after taking pilotage charge of the British Ship *Sir George Seymour* then from Sea, throwing up the said pilotage charge, and refusing to conduct that Ship into the River.

By Order of the Officiating Superintendent of Marine.

(Sd.) H. Howe,
Secretary.

Fort William,
The 13th September 1833.

Finding.

The Court, having maturely weighed and considered the evidence brought forward in support of the prosecution, together with that adduced upon the defence, is of opinion that Mr. Master Pilot Thomas Scallan is *guilty* of the whole charge preferred against him.

(Sd.) H. Piddington,
President.

Sentence.

The Court having found Mr. Master Pilot Thomas Scallan *guilty* of the charge preferred against him, do adjudge that he lose three months' rank as Master Pilot in the Bengal Pilot Service, and that his name do stand below Mr. Master Pilot T. L. Hart, and, above Mr. Master Pilot J. M. Hamilton.

(Sd.) H. Piddington,
President.

Fort William,
Master Attendant's Office,
24th September 1853.

(Sd.) Thomas Hill,
Judge Advocate.

2nd.—The Proceedings having been submitted to Government, the Most Noble the Governor of Bengal has been pleased to confirm the sentence of the Court, accompanied by the following remarks on the case:—

"Para. 13.—As regards the specific accusation of throwing up charge of the *Sir George Seymour* after assuming it, His Lordship considers that the finding of the Court is most completely borne out by the evidence, and that Pilots being absolutely prohibited by rules from throwing up Pilotage charge of a Vessel under any pretence whatever, Mr. Scallan's conduct is totally unjustifiable. Even supposing that a discretion were allowed to Pilots, the circumstances under which Mr. Scallan abandoned the Vessel were such as scarcely to raise a reasonable presumption of danger, and his conduct cannot be regarded otherwise than most blameworthy and discreditable.

"14.—His Lordship confirms the sentence of the Court, but desires me to observe that it is very inadequate to Mr. Scallan's offence."

In conformity with the above decision, the Master Attendant has been desired to release Mr. Master Pilot Thomas Scallan from arrest, and to allow him to return to his duty, and to place his name in the list of Master Pilots below that of Mr. T. L. Hart, and above that of Mr. J. M. Hamilton.

By order of the Superintendent of Marine.

H. Howe,
Secretary.

Fort William,
Marine Supdt.'s Office,
the 17th Oct. 1853.

Opium Notification.

Notice is hereby given, that the Tenth Sale of Opium, the Provision of 1851-52, will be held at the Exchange Hall on Wednesday, the 26th October 1853, at 11 A. M., and will comprise 3,290 chests, *viz.*:—

Behar Opium, ...	2,205
Benares ditto, ...	1,085
Total, Chests, ...	3,290

2nd. The general conditions of the Sale now advertised will be the same as usual. They may be ascertained by reference to the Notification issued on the 18th November 1852, and published in the *Calcutta* and *Exchange Gazettes*, or on application at the Office of the Board of Revenue.

3rd. The latest dates for deposit and clearance will be the 2nd November and 11th November 1853, respectively, *that is to say*, no Sub-Treasurer's receipts, Company's paper, or other Public Securities that may be tendered for deposit in redemption of Promissory Notes given by purchasers at the Sale will be received after 4 P. M. of Wednes-

day the 2nd November 1853, and no Treasury receipts in full payment of lots will be accepted after 4 P. M. of Friday, the 11th November 1853.

4th. In addition to the quantity above advertised for Sale, the following quantities, more or less, of Behar and Benares Opium of 1851-52, will be brought to Sale in the present year, on or about the dates specified below. The Board, however, reserve to themselves the right of altering these dates, should circumstances render it expedient to do so.

	Behar, about Chests.	Benares, about Chests.	Total, about Chests.
On or about Monday, 21st November 1853, ...	2,[illegible]	1,085	3,290
On or about Thursday, 15th December 1853, ...	[illegible]208	1,064	3,272
	4,413	2,149	6,562

By order of the Board of Revenue,

A. R. YOUNG,
Offg. Junior Secretary.

Fort William, the 26th September 1853.

Notification

BILLS at par on the Public Treasuries of the under-mentioned Districts may be had on application to the Accountant to the Government of Bengal :—

DISTRICTS.	*Amount available on this date.*	
Balasore, ...	50,000	
Bograh, ...	50,000	
Bullooah, ...	3,00,000	
Burdwan, ...	3,00,000	
Cuttack C. Dv., ...	2,50,000	
Dinagepore, ...	63,000	At one per Cent. premium.
Jessore, ...	3,00,000	
Maldah, ...	87,000	
Midnapore, ...	50,000	
Pooree, ...	1,50,000	
Pubna, ...	50,000	
Purneah, ...	1,50,000	
Rungpore, ...	85,000	
Sylhet, ...	50,000	
Tipperah, ...	2,50,000	

C. HUGH LUSHINGTON,
Offg. Accountant to the Govt. of Bengal.

Accountant's Office, Revenue Department, The 18th Oct. 1853.

Notice.

FEES on drafts drawn by the Accountant to the Government of Bengal, on the Mofussil Treasuries, have under orders of Government been abolished from the 23rd instant.

C. HUGH LUSHINGTON,
Offg. Accountant to the Govt. of Bengal.

FORT WILLIAM,
Accountant's Office, Revenue Dept., 26th September 1853.

General Post Office Notifications.

NOTICE is hereby given, that an after-Packet will be made up at this Office to-morrow, at 2 P. M., for the Peninsular and Oriental Company's Steamer *Oriental*, with the chance of overtaking her at Kedgeree.

J. R. BURLTON BENNETT,
Deputy Post-master General, in Charge.

Calcutta, General Post Office, The 18th October 1853.

THE Public are informed, that the Overland Expresses between Bombay and Calcutta will be discontinued from this date.

J. R. BURLTON BENNETT,
Deputy Post-master General, in Charge.

Fort William, General Post Office, The 31st August 1853.

LIST of Remaining Letters and Parcels Unclaimed, which accumulated from the Months of January to March 1853.

M.

McLean John—Bengal Establishment.
Martin, Esq C T—Passenger per "Haddington" Steamer, Malta.
Mills, Mr George—Post Office, Calcutta, India.
Mirza Antonio,—Boarding Master, Calcutta.
McNamara, Private Michael—No 2,382, No 1 Company Fort William, Bengal, Calcutta.
Morgan Mr E—Calcutta.
Macdonald, Esq P (2 letters)—Maunghaut, Santipore.
Mill, Esq I B—C S Jumeerpore.
Moor, Esq W J—Ganzeepore.
Moo[illegible] Esq W—Grand Jail, Calcutta.
Mc[illegible], Mr Edward—Sub-Inspector Constabulary [illegible]ta, Bengal.
M[illegible]d, Mr Robert—Police Serjt, Calcutta.
Malcolm, Mr James (2 letters)—Care of Hunt, Bray, Emsly, Serampore, Calcutta.
Mills, Mr William—Garden Reach, Calcutta.
McLaren, Esq D—Dock Yard, Bombay.
Moorcraft, Matilda—Fort William, Calcutta.
Mostyn, Lieut Thos William (5 letters)—H Ms 75th Regt, Bengal.
McAnally, Esq A A (4 letters)—Surgeon 44th Regt N I Bengal, Dinapore India.
McVey, Edward, Seaman on board the H C Steamer "Phlegethon," Calcutta, Rangoon, East India.
Mullen, James—Seaman, H E I C S "Pluto" Rangoon, India.
Minton, Christopher—Recruit, Company's Hospital, Calcutta.
Maheerooden,—Care of Mr Bodry, Calcutta.
Muddaree Bux,—Chowl-huttah, Kullinga Bazar, Calcutta.
Mahomed Hossen, Naikwanah,—Amratollah Lane, Calcutta.
Mahomed Sale Patty—Calcutta.
Madhunchund, Hunnekchund (7 letters)—Calcutta.
Madhol Chunder Mullick and Co Messrs (2 letters)—Calcutta.
Moodoosooden, Sircar Esq—Calcutta.
Malapchund, Cocher Esq (3 letters)—Care of Daverchund Joorsepsook Esq, Calcutta.
Mundaram Jatharam Mentry, Esq—Calcutta.
Markan, S M Mackay—Calcutta.
Matheson, Andrew—Care of Capt Hickman, Ship "Athelstan" Calcutta.
Munro, Capt (2 letters)—Ship "Euphrates."
Miller Charles—Ship "Hellen Douglas."
More, Esq M F—Barque "John Adam" Care of T Vialls, Howrah Dock.
Monison, Monsr—Matelot a bord du Navire le sans-nom.
McLeeiah, Captain Jas—Barque "Morgiana."

McNeill, Mr Lachlan (2 letters)—Ship "Mohussar."
McKay, Mr Daniel—Ship "Majestic."
Mackenzie, Earnest B—Ship "Monarch."
Martin, Mr William—Ship "Nile."
McCullock, Mr W—Ship "A Rackeny."
Martin, Capt John—Ship "Rockall."
Mapleton, Esq Hr—Ship "Wellesley."
Moses, Mr Thore—utta.
Marriott, Revd G —Chaplain, Dinapore.
Moulvy Sayed Jaun Khan —Care of Charl , Esq. Foreign Office, Calcutta.

N.

Nisbett, Major—22nd N I, Calcutta.
Need, Esq W W—Messrs Co, Cawnpore.
Norton, Esq W H—9, Clive Street, Calcutta.
Nicolson, Esq J O—G T Survey, Rey ore.
Nichole Sara Izabella—D'Bengal aporta de Semetare de A ing No 15 da Caza.
Nazareth, Revd Ter Joseph—Penang,
Nuckchade—Gingeree Telow, Calcutta.
N Camperjie, Baboo—Calcutta.
Newell, Mr Wm—Ship "Camperdown."
Nuston, Alexr—Ship "Coeur-de-Leon."
Naylor, Mr T W—Barque "Mary Somes."
Nelson, Thomas—Ship "Su ge."
Nomen Mr—3rd Officer Steamer "Mor es," Calcutta.

O.

Ommanney, Esq M C—Bengal Civil Service, to await his ival Calcutta.
vy, Esq David S—Kahend. Ar , Bengal.
Brien, Captn—Mooltan, to a his arrival at the Sand Heads.
'Brien, Esq L S—Cossitollah, Calcu
ieutt M—38th Regt M N I ce.
Oman, Esq C P Asst Kishnaghur, Calcutta.
Ommaney, Esq M C—Passenger per Ship "Sutlej," Kedgeree.
O'Farrell, Mr Bernard—Union Et , Brampore Street, Bombay.
O'Sullivan, Mrs T (4 letters)—Post Office until called for. Calcutta.
Oman, Esq I C—Care of J Stephen Esq, Goratolly, Jessore.
Oles, Son D Francisco—de Consignatario, de la Barca Espanda "Medusa."
Ormsby, Esq C—Ship "Trafalgar."
Ogilvie, Mr W F—Ship "Bessuna Anna Maria."

(To be continued.)

R. BURLTON ANNETT,
Deputy Post-master General, in charge.

Fort William; General Post Office, 9th Octo. 1853.

J.

Sheriff's Office, the 23rd September 1853.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Sessions of Oyer and Terminer and Gaol Delivery, and also an Admiralty Sessions, will be holden by the Supreme Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal, for the Town of Calcutta, Factory of Fort William and the places subordinate thereto, at the Court-House, in the Town of Calcutta, on Saturday, the Twenty-second day of October next, at 12 o'clock at noon.

The Court will open on the first day of the Sessions at 12 o'clock at noon, and upon each succeeding day at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, of which all persons are required to take notice.

F. BELLAIRS,
Sheriff.

সরিফ আফিস ২৩ সেপ্টেম্বর ১৮৫৩ সাল

সমাচার দেওয়া যাইতেছে যে আগামি ২২ অক্টোবর ১৮৫৩ সাল শনিবার দুই প্রহরের সময় কলিকাতার কোর্ট উইলেমের এবং তাহার অন্তঃপাতি যে সকল স্থান তন্নিমিত্তে বঙ্গদেশের কোর্ট উইলমের সুপ্রেম কোর্ট আপন আদালত ঘরে [illegible] এবং এডমাইরেলটী অর্থাৎ মহা সমুদ্র [illegible] নিষ্পত্তি জন্য এক সেশিয়ান অর্থাৎ মিছিল করিবেন।

এই সেশিয়ান অতকাল পর্য্যন্ত বসিবেক তাহার প্রথম দিবস দুই প্রহরের সময় তাহার পর পতি দিবস [illegible] ঘণ্টার সময় বসিবেক এবিষয় সকলে [illegible] রাগুন।

F. BELLAIRS,
Sheriff.

Court for the Relief of [illegible] Debtors at Calcutta.

In the matter of Henry Hutcheson Atkinson, late of Mangoe Lane, in Calcutta, Broker and Agent carrying on business, as such under the name, style or firm of Messrs. Atkinson and Company, an Insolvent.

On Saturday the 29th day of October instant, It was ordered that the first Saturday in the month of November 1854, be appointed for the further hearing in this matter and unless cause be shewn to the contrary on that day, the said Insolvent shall be discharged personally as well as to his after acquired property from all liability for debts, claims and demands of and against the said Insolvent at the time of filing his petition for relief.

Grant and Rogers, *Attornies.*

Chief Clerk's Office, 3rd October 1853.

In the matter of John Mackey, formerly carrying on business in co-partnership together with Edward Creaton and Donald Campbell Mackey, as Merchants and Agents, under the style and firm of D. C. Mackey and Company, an Insolvent.

Notice that an application for an *ad interim* protection order has been this day made by the said Insolvent, and that such application will be heard and disposed of by the Acting Commissioner of the Insolvent Court, on Tuesday the 25th day of October instant, at the hour of 10 o'Clock in the forenoon.

☞ *"Any Creditor of the said Insolvent desirous "of opposing such application do appear before the "said Court at the time and place aforesaid."*

Allan and Thomas, *Attornies.*

Chief Clerk's Office, 6th October 1853.

In the Court for the Relief of Insolvent Debtors at Singapore.

In the matters of Kristna Samy, late a Writer, Ko Pow and Lim Kim Lin, late traders, Appoo, late a milk-seller, Meeri Gunny, late a cart-owner, Appoo, late a dhobee, Sam Tay You, late a trader, and Pitchey, late a tra , all of Singapore, respectively, Insolvents.

Notice is hereby given that petitions have been filed in the said Court by the above-named Insolvents, praying for the benefit of the Act, and that the estate and effects of the said Insolvents respectively, may be vested in the Official Assignee of the said Court. The matters of the petitions the said

Insolvents will be heard at the Court-House at Singapore, on Monday the fifth day of December next, at 11 o'Clock in the forenoon. Any creditor intending to oppose the discharge of any of the said Insolvents must give notice thereof in writing to such Insolvents *three clear days* before the day of hearing, and such notice to the Chief Clerk on or before the day preceding the day of hearing.

H. C. CALDWELL,
Chief Clerk,
Singapore.

CHIEF CLERK'S OFFICE,
Singapore,
5th October 1853.

PURSUANT to a decree of the Supreme Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal, made in a cause wherein Robert Torrens and Allan and James Mackintosh the younger, Administrators of Robert Hastie, deceased, are complainants, and James Pelham McKenzie, Archibald Hastie and John Cap... defendants,—All persons claiming to be creditors or legatees of James Hastie, formerly of Calcutta, Merchant, deceased, (who died in or about the month of April 1848,) are forthwith to come in and prove their claims before John Cochrane, Esquire, the Acting Master of the said Supreme Court, at his Office in the Court House, on or before the 3rd day of December next, or in default thereof the will be peremptorily excluded from the benefit of the said decree.

JOHN COCHRANE,
Acting Master.

Judge, Vrignon and Newma..., *Attornies.*
Complainant's

Calcutta,
Supreme Court, Master's Office,
The 3rd Oct. 1853.

Bank of Bengal Rates.

Discount.

Private Bills and Notes, at or within 3 months,	5 per Cent.
Government Acceptances, do.,	3 ,, ,,

Interest charged.

On Fixed Loans, not exceeding 3 months, on Deposit of Company's Paper,	4 ,, ,,
On Deposit of Goods,	5 ,, ,,

On Accounts of Credit, ½ per Cent. in excess of the above rates respectively.

WM. GREY,
Secy. & Treasurer.

Bank of Bengal,
8th September 1853.

Notice.

A SUM of Rs. 435-12-7, belonging to the estate of the late Pfefferbloom, Head Clerk in the Office of Collector of Customs at Bassein, is now in deposit in this Court, and will be paid to any person who may prove himself entitled to receive the same.

C. SHARP,
P. A. Comm.

KYOUK PHYOO,
Septr. Allen 53.

LOST.—At Barrackpore, the first Halves of two Bank of Bengal Notes, for 100 Rs. each, Nos. 48117 and 49007; any one who may bring or send these Half notes to the *Hurkaru* Office will be rewarded.

Lost or Mislaid.

The following 4 per Cent. Government Promissory Notes:—

No. 17705, dated 1st May 1832 for		Sicca Rupees,	500
,, 2980 of 6489,	,,	,,	500
,, 6179 of 13878,	31st March 836, for	Co.'s Rs.,	500
,, 8834 of 1 256,	,,	,,	1,200
,, 15855	,,	,,	5,...
,, 1738	,,	,,	5...

CAS. NAUTH BOSE,
Baboo Ashootosh Day's, Simla.

LOST.—Following Halves of Bengal Bank-notes:

No. 21[illegible]06 }
5550 } 2
,, 21231 } For 100 Rupees each.
,, 17810 }
,, 36655 }

LOST.—The first Halves of two Bank of Bengal Notes, No. 35090 and [illegible]2, for Rs. 100 each, payment of which has been stopped at the Bank.

This day [3rd Oct.] *is published,*

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ON THE

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SATURDAY, OCTOBER 22, 1853.

Notifications, Appointments, &c.

No. 689.

Fort William, Home Department,
The 19th October 1853.

Appointment.—Mr. G. E. W. Couper to be Under-Secretary to the Government of India in the Home and Financial Departments.

GEO. PLOWDEN,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of India.

No. 4468.

Fort William, Foreign Department,
The 19th October 1853.

Notification.—The Governor General in Council is pleased to appoint Major H. B. Edwardes, C. B., Deputy Commissioner in Hazara, to be Commissioner and Superintendent of Peshawur, in succession to Lieutenant Colonel F. Mackeson, C. B., deceased.

No. 4469.

The 20th October 1853.

Assistant Surgeon H. Wilson, M. D., of the Bombay Medical Establishment, is appointed to the Medical charge of the 5th Regiment of Infantry, Scindia's Contingent, *vice* Dr. T. Moore.

No. 4470.

Major H. M. Durand, Political Agent at Bhopal, has obtained one month's leave of absence, under Section XI. of the Amended Absentee Rules, preparatory to applying for further leave to proceed to England on private affairs.

No. 4471.

The 21st October 1853.

The leave of absence for one month, granted in General Order by the Governor General dated 24th August last, No. 3765, to Mr. C. Raikes, Commissioner of the Lahore Division, to visit Dhurmsala, is to date from the 10th instead of the 15th ultimo.

An extension of leave of absence, for ten days, is likewise granted to Mr. Raikes, under Section XII. of the Absentee Rules, from the 10th to the 20th instant.

No. 4472.

The leave of absence granted by the Chief Commissioner of the Punjab to the following Officers is confirmed:—

Captain Sir E. Campbell, Bart., Assistant Revenue Surveyor, Baree Doab, for two months, under Section XII. of the Amended Absentee Rules, on urgent private affairs, from such date as he may avail himself of the same, to visit Dhurmsala.

Lieutenant W. S. R. Hodson, Ex-Officio Assistant Commissioner at Eusufzai, for 21 days, under Section XII. of the Amended Absentee Rules, in extension of the leave granted to him in General Order of the 30th August last, No. 3789, on urgent private affairs.

J. P. GRANT,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of India.

No. 1861.

Orders by the Most Noble the Governor of Bengal.

Appointments.—The 8th October 1853.—Mr. A. C. Davidson, and Baboos Bhoyrub Chunder Chowdry and Kassee Kissore Roy Chowdry, to be Members of the Local Committee of Public Instruction of Mymensing.

The 17th October 1853.—Mr. T. C. Loch to officiate as Controller of Government Salt Chowkies, and to exercise the powers of a Salt Agent within the limits described in Section XXXIII. Act XXIX. of 1838, retaining charge also of the office of Railway Commissioner until further orders.

The 19th October 1853.—Mr. J. Dunbar, a Judge of the Sudder Court, has been directed to proceed to the Districts of the 24-Pergunnahs, Baraset and Jessore, on special duty.

Mr. H. V. Bayley to be Additional Judge of Dacca and Backergunge.

Mr. E. T. Trevor to be Collector of the 24-Pergunnahs.

Mr. A. R. Young to be Collector of Beerbhoom, but to continue to officiate as Junior Secretary to the Board of Revenue until further orders.

Mr. C. Pears to officiate as Medical Officer in charge of Serampore.

Notifications.—*The 12th September* 1853.—The following despatch from the Hon'ble the Court of Directors is published for general information :—

Ecclesiastical Department.

OUR GOVERNOR OF THE PRESIDENCY OF FORT WILLIAM IN BENGAL.

No. 5 of 1853.—We now reply to your letter in this Department, dated 20th April (No. 2) 1853, relative to the case of the Reverend Dr. Marriott, Assistant Chaplain of Dinapore.

We entirely concur in your view of the Reverend Dr. Marriott's conduct. We have dismissed him from our Service, and we direct that his name may be struck off from the list of Chaplains on the receipt of this despatch.

We shall, as requested, fill up the vacancy without delay.

We are, &c.,

(Sd.) RUSSELL ELLICE,
" J. ELPHANT,
and twelve other Directors.

LONDON,)
2nd Aug

October 1853.—The following Rules for the management of Charitable Dispensaries, having been passed by the Most Noble the Governor of Bengal, are published for general information :—

In all cases in which the aid of Government is granted in support of any Charitable Dispensary, the following Rules are declared to be in force :—

1. The Collector, Magistrate and Civil Surgeon of the District shall be *ex-officio* Members of the Local Committee of Management.

2. The Government may appoint any other person, whether a public servant or a subscriber to the Dispensary, to be a Member of the Committee.

3. The Commissioner of the Division shall be *ex-officio* a Member of the Committee, and shall preside at any Meeting at which he may be present. He shall have a casting vote, in addition to his own vote, if present, and a casting vote if absent, when opinions are equally divided.

4. All correspondence between the Government and the Local Committee shall be conducted through the medium of the Commissioner.

5. Each Committee shall submit to Government, through the Commissioner, half-yearly returns (made up to June 30th and December 31st each year) of the number of patients treated, and of all receipts and disbursements, in the accompanying forms. These returns are exclusive of the professional reports submitted to the Medical Board.

6. Each Committee shall appoint its own Secretary, whose duty it is to see that proper returns and accounts are kept.

7. Each Committee shall keep a book, in which are to be entered Minutes of all its proceedings and resolutions. The proceedings of each Meeting shall be attested by the Members present.

8. In all matters of a strictly professional description, the Committee shall be guided by such instructions as they may receive from the Superintending Surgeon of the Division.

Half-yearly Return of Patients treated in the *Charitable Dispensary*
from the *to the*

	Remaining on the	Admitted.	Total.	Cured.	Relieved.	Incurable.	Died.	Result not known.	Remaining under treatment.
In-door Patients, ...									
Out-door Patients, ...									
Total, ...									

Half-yearly Cash Account of the *Charitable Dispensary from the* *to the*

Dr. *Cr.*

To Balance in hand on the				By Amount Pay of Establishment from		
" Subscriptions collected from to				" Amount paid for supplied to the In-patients at		
" Government donation drawn from the month of up to at Rs. per mensem under orders dated the				" Ditto for half-yearly supply of Clothes to the In-patients in last		
" Interest upon Government Promissory Notes drawn in				" Ditto do. paid to two extra Native Doctors employed in Cholera Stations in the city,		
&c. &c.				Balance in hand, ..		
Total, Co.'s Rs.,...				Total, Co.'s Rs.,		

The 8th October 1853.—Mr. G. W. Colledge, appointed by the Hon'ble the Court of Directors a Member of the Civil Service on the Bengal Establishment, reported his arrival at the Presidency on the 15th instant, on board the Steam-ship *Bombay*.

By order of the Most Noble the Governor of Bengal,

CECIL BEADON,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

Orders by the Government of the North-Western Provinces.

No. 4018 of 1853.

Judicial and Revenue Department,
Agra, the 14th October 1853.

Appointment.—Mr. John Bensley Thornill to be an Assistant in the Rohilkund Division.

No. 4022 of 1853.

Leave of Absence.—Lieutenant B. P. Lloyd, Superintendent of Jawud Neemuch, to the 26th February 1854, on Medical certificate, under Section VI. of the Amended Absentee Rules, to visit Nynee Tal, preparatory to proceeding to Sea, in extension of the leave granted to him in orders of the 16th ultimo.

No. 4029 of 1853.

Mr. Charles Gubbins, Magisttate and Collector of Bijnour, for ten days, on Medical certificate, under Section VIII. of the Amended Absentee Rules, in extension of the leave granted to him in orders of the 25th August last.

No. 4051 of 1853.

Agra, the 15th October 1853.

Mr. St. George Tucker, Officiating Magistrate and Collector of Azimgurh, for two months, under Sections XI. and XII. of the Amended Absentee Rules, from the 5th December next, preparatory to proceeding on furlough to Europe.

No. 1978 of 1853.

General Department.

Leave of Absence.—The leave of absence under Section XXV. of the Amended Absentee Rules, granted by the Lord Bishop of Calcutta to the Reverend Henry Tuson, Chaplain of Meerut, and the Reverend William James Jay, Officiating Chaplain of Agra, is confirmed, the former from the 2nd proximo, and the latter from the 25th instant, or any subsequent date on which they may avail themselves of it.

By order of the Government, North-Western Provinces.

W. Muir,
Secy. to Govt., N. W. P.

General Orders by the Most Noble the Governor General of India in Council.

Fort William, 18th October 1853.

No. 832 *of* 1853.—The leave of absence granted to Lieutenant John Doran, of the 24th Regiment N. I., Second in Command of the Khelat-i-Ghilzie Regiment, in G. G. O. No. 590, of the 22nd July 1853, is to be held to commence from the 1st November 1853, and to terminate on the 30th April 1854, instead of the dates therein specified.

Fort William, 20th October 1853.

No. 833 *of* 1853.—Under instructions from the Honorable the Court of Directors, the Most Noble the Governor General of India in Council is pleased to authorize the addition of one Regiment of European Infantry, of ten Companies, at each Presidency, composed of—

1 Colonel,
2 Lieutenant Colonels,
2 Majors,
12 Captains,
20 Lieutenants,
10 Ensigns, and
920 Non-Commissioned and Rank and File.

At each Presidency the new Regiment is to be designated the 3rd European Regiment.

Agreeably to the orders of the Honorable Court, the promotion arrangements will bear date, at all the Presidencies, one month from the receipt of the despatch authorizing the new Regiments. The despatch having been received by the Governor General of India in Council on the 15th of October 1853, the additional Regiment will be brought on the Establishment of each Presidency from the 15th of November 1853.

On that date the Army Lists of each of the Presidencies will be considered as closed at Army Head Quarters, with regard to the posting of Officers to the new European Regiments. The operation of all casualties as affecting promotions for the new Regiments will accordingly be precluded, the report of which shall not have been received at the respective Army Head Quarters on that date.

No. 834 *of* 1853.—Captain G. Gaynor, of the 2nd European Bengal Fusiliers, appointed Deputy Pay Master to the Bengal Troops serving in Pegu, having on public grounds been prevented repairing to Rangoon with the Detachment of his Regiment proceeding thither, as directed in General Order No. 821, dated the 14th instant, that Officer is re-appointed to officiate as Second Assistant Military Auditor General, with effect from the 14th instant.

Captain Gaynor will proceed to take up his appointment in Pegu by an early opportunity.

No. 835 *of* 1853.—Assistant Surgeon D. Young, M. D., who was appointed to the temporary Medical charge of the Central Stud Depôt, (Buxar and Koruntadhee), as notified in General Orders by the Commander-in-Chief, under date the 20th June 1851, is confirmed permanently in that charge.

Fort William, 21st October 1853.

No. 836 *of* 1853.—Lieutenant Thomas Lamb, of the 16th Regiment N. I., (Grenadiers,) Adjutant 2nd Assam Light Infantry Battalion, has been appointed, in orders by the Most Noble the Governor of Bengal on the 7th October 1853, to be a Junior Assistant to the Commissioner of Assam at Nowgong.

No. 837 *of* 1853.—The services of Assistant Surgeon Charles Francis Warneford, M. D., Civil Assistant Surgeon of Futtehpoor, have been placed in the Judicial Department, North Western Provinces, on the 13th October 1853, at the disposal of His Excellency the Commander in Chief.

No. 838 *of* 1853.—The Pay, Batta, and other Allowances for October 1853, of the Troops at the Presidency and at the other stations of the Army, will be issued on or after Friday the 11th proximo.

No. 839 *of* 1853.—The Most Noble the Governor General of India in Council is pleased to make the following promotion :—

Medical Department.

Assistant Surgeon George Smyth Mann to be Surgeon, from the 7th October 1853, *vice* Senior Surgeon Frederick Corbyn, deceased.

No. 840 *of* 1853.—The following Military Letter, from the Honorable the Court of Directors to the Governor of the Presidency of Fort William in Bengal, is published for general information :—

No. 109 of 1853.

Military Department.

OUR GOVERNOR OF THE PRESIDENCY OF FORT WILLIAM IN BENGAL.

Reply to Letter dated 15th June 1853, No. 132.

In consideration of services in the Field both with his corps, the 2nd Native Infantry Grenadiers, and in the Department of the Quarter Master General of the Army, and in compliance with the cordial recommendation of the Commander-in-Chief and of your Government, we authorize, as a special case, the promotion of Lieutenant H. R. Garden, the senior Deputy Assistant Quarter Master General, to the vacant grade of Assistant Quarter Master General of the Army, notwithstanding that he has not yet completed the full term of ten years' service in India required by the Regulations for promotion to that grade in the Department.

Report [illegible] Lieutenant [illegible] as Assistant [illegible]ter General of the Army, and solicit Court's sanction to his permanent appointment to that office.

We are, &c.,

(Signed,) RUSSELL ELLICE,
and twelve other Directors.

LONDON,
7th September 1853.

No. 841 *of* 1853.—Ensign James Yorke, of the 3rd Regiment Native Infantry, is allowed leave of absence from the 15th October 1853 to the 1st March 1854, to proceed to Bombay, preparatory to applying for furlough to Europe, on Medical certificate.

No. 842 *of* 1853.—The services of Assistant Surgeon E. C. Thorp, M. D., in Medical charge of Simla, are placed at the disposal of the Government of the North Western Provinces.

No. 843 *of* 1853.—The leave of absence for six months to proceed to Ceylon and the Eastern Seas, on Medical certificate, granted to Lieutenant A. B. Burge, 69th Regiment Native Infantry, in Government General Order No. 313, dated 12th April 1853, is commuted to leave to remain at the Presidency on the same account.

No. 844 *of* 1853.—The under-mentioned Officer is permitted to proceed to Europe on furlough :—

First Lieutenant Henry Tombs, of the Regiment of Artillery, ... } On private affairs.

No. 845 *of* 1853.—The under-mentioned gentleman is admitted to the Service, in conformity with his appointment by the Honorable the Court of Directors, as a Cadet of Artillery on this Establishment, and promoted to the rank of Second Lieutenant from the date assigned to him in Government General Order No. 669, of the 23rd August 1853.

Artillery.	*Date of Arrival at Fort William.*
Mr. David MacFarlan, ...	15th October 1853.

No 846 *of* 1853.—The under-mentioned men, who were appointed Acting Assistant Overseers in General Orders as per margin, having passed the prescribed examin[illegible] are permanently attached to the Department of Public Works as Assistant Overseers, and posted to the divisions specified opposite to their names :

G. O. C. C. 5th April 1853.
G. O. C. C. 11th Feb. 1853.
G. O. G. G. 1st March 1851.
G. O. C. C. 7th Jan. 1853.
G. O. C. C. 14th Jan. 1853.

1st Corporal S. S. Marriott, of the Sappers and Miners, from the 12th April 1853.	Meean Meer.
Gunner T. Harris, of the 3rd Company 4th Battalion Artillery, from the 27th June 1853.	Peshawar.
Serjeant J. Morran, of the Corps of Sappers and Miners.	Rawul Pindee.
Serjeant J. Mills, from the 12th July 1853.	
Rough-Rider C. Howard, of the 3rd Troop 3rd Brigade Horse Artillery, from the [illegible]th July 1853.	Jullundur.

The above individuals are transferred to the Town Major's list.

No. 847 *of* 1853.—The Most Noble the Governor General in Council is pleased to direct that, when Commissariat Cattle are lent to other Departments, they shall not only be under the exclusive control of the Officer employing them, who is to be held responsible for their condition, but that all expenses connected with them shall be brought forward in the accounts of the Department having the use of the cattle.

No. 848 *of* 1853.—The Most Noble the Governor General of India in Council is pleased to make the following promotions :—

23rd Regiment Native Infantry.

Lieutenant and Brevet Captain Robert Shaw to be Captain of a Company, ...	From the 10th of October 1853, in succession to Captain and Brevet Major John Violett Snook, deceased.
Ensign John Arthur Henry Moore to be Lieut.,	

No. 849 *of* 1853.—The Most Noble the Governor General in Council is pleased to sanction an increase to the Subordinate Medical Establishment, to the following extent:—

10 Apothecaries,
8 Stewards,
10 Assistant Apothecaries,
5 Assistant Stewards.

No. 850 *of* 1853.—The under-mentioned gentleman is admitted to the Service, in conformity with his appointment by the Hon'ble the Court of Directors, as a Cadet of Artillery on this Establishment, and promoted to the rank of Second

Lieutenant from the date assigned to him in Government General Order No. 669, of the 23rd August 1853, subject to confirmation by the Hon'ble Court.

Artillery.	*Date of Arrival at Fort William.*
Mr. James Cecil Grove Price,—	15th October 1853.

No. 851 of 1853.—With reference to the pressure now felt in the Commissariat Department, in the absence of some of the Senior Assistants, the Most Noble the Governor General in Council is pleased, as a special case, to appoint Major F. Lloyd, of the 19th Regiment Native Infantry, and lately attached to the Department, to officiate as an Assistant Commissary General of the First Class, as a temporary arrangement.

No. 853 of 1853.—Captain Edward Inner Robinson, of the 7th Regiment Light Cavalry, is permitted to retire from the Service of the East India Company, on the pension of a Major, from the 1st proximo.

R. J. H. BIRCH, *Lieut.-Colonel,*
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of India, Mily. Dept.

Wellington Endowment.

THE COMMITTEE OF THE WELLINGTON ENDOWMENT beg to acknowledge the following Subscriptions for the Endowment of a College in honor of "the greatest Soldier that England ever saw."

The Most Noble the Governor General	Rs.	2,500
His Excellency Sir W. M. Gomm, K. C. B., Commander-in-Chief, E. I.	£	*200
Lieut.-Genl. Lord Fred. FitzClarence, G. C. B., Commander-in-Chief, Bombay	£	*100
Lieut.-Genl. Sir Richard Armstrong, K. C. B., Commander-in-Chief, Madras	£	*100
	Rs.	
H. H. the Rajah of Nagpore	paid	10,000
The Survivors of the Troops of the Berar-Nagpore State, who fought in the Deccan Campaign of 1803, against General Wellesley	„	250
H. H. the Nawab of Rampore	„	5,000
H. H. the Maharajah Goolab Sing of Cashmere, through P. Melvill, Esq., C. S.,	„	5,000
H. H. the Rajah of Puttiala, through P. Melvill, Esq., C. S.,	„	4,000
His Majesty Mohamed Wajid Ali Shah Padshah, (king of Oude,) through Lieutenant-Colonel W. H. Sleeman, Resident of Lucknow	„	3,000
H. H. the Maharajah of Jodhpoor, through Sir H. M. Lawrence, K. C. B.		3,000
H. H. Mahaeaah Tackoojee Rao Holkar Bahadur, through R. N. C. Hamilton, Esq. C. S.,	„	2,000
H. H. the Nawab Nazim of Bengal,	„	2,000
H. H. the Maharajah of Gwalior, through G. A. Bushby, Esq., C. S.	„	2,000
H. H. Maharajah Suwaee Ram Singh, of Jyepore	„	2,000
The Minister to His Majesty the King of Oude, through Lieut.-Col. W. H. Sleeman,	„	2,000
H. H. Maha Rana Suroop Singh, Ruler of Meywar, through Lt-Col. G. St. P. Lawrence,	paid	1,612-14
H. H. the Rajah of Alowala, ... Through P. Melvill,		
H. H. the Rajah of Nabah, ... Esq., C. S.	paid	1,500
	„	1,000
H. H. the Rajah of Burdwan	„	1,500
H. H. Nirpat Sing, Rajah of Punnah, through G. A. Bushby, Esq., C. S.	„	1,500
H. H. the Rajah of Jheend, Through P. Melvill, Esq., C. S.	„	1,100
The Chief of Malair, Kotla, (Meybook Allie Khan,)	„	1,100
Delawur Allie Khan of Malair Kotla,	„	1,000
H. H. the Rajah of Chirkary, through G. A. Bushby, Esq., C. S.,	„	1,000
H. H. Maharajah Benaick Rao, of Terhowa, ditto,	„	1,000
Maharajah Gungadhur Rao, Rajah of Jhansi, ditto,	„	1,000
H. H. Bhaun Pertab, Rajah of Bejawur, ditto,	„	1,000
H. H. Pertab Sing, Rajah of Chutterpore, ditto,	„	910
H. H. the Maharajah [illegible]ah, through Sir H. M. Lawrence, K. C.	„	1,000
H. H. the Byza Bai, through R. N. Hamilton, Esq. C. S.,	„	[illegible]
H. H. the Rajah of Furreedkote, through P. Melvill, Esq., C. S.,	„	1,000
H. H. the Rao Rajah of Ulwur, through Sir H. M. Lawrence, K. C. B.	„	1,000
Lieut.-Colonel Sir H. M. Lawrence, K. C. B., Agent to the Governor Genl. for the States of Rajpootana	„	1,000
Rajah Pertab Chand Singh,		1,000
Amount already advertised	Rs	1,31,224-9-11
Amount subscribed by Officers and Regiments of H. M.'s Service, payable in London	Rs.	30,412-4-3
H. H. the Nawab of Tonk, through Sir H. M. Lawrence, K. C. B.,	paid	3,000
Assistant Surgeon D. H. Small, Mhairwarrah Local Battalion,	„	20
R. Frank, Esq., Chittagong,	„	5

* To be paid in England.

The Bank of Bengal, the Oriental Bank, and the Agra and United Service Bank, with its branches at Agra, Lahore, Madras and Bombay, will receive Subscriptions, or they can be transmitted direct to the Secretary in Calcutta.

All Subscriptions from the Mofussil are to be sent free of charge, by Officers in charge of Local Treasuries.

Subscriptions can be paid in whole or in part, to suit the convenience of Subscribers, and at any time within the next twelve months.

(By order of the Wellington Endowment Committee,)

FREDERICK J. MOUAT,
Calcutta, 21st October 1853. *Secretary.*

Notice.

FEES on drafts drawn by the Accountant to the Government of Bengal, on the Mofussil Treasuries, have under orders of Government been abolished from the 23rd instant.

C. HUGH LUSHINGTON,
Offg. Accountant to the Govt. of Bengal.

FORT WILLIAM,
Accountant's Office, Revenue Dept.,
26th September 1853.

Notification.

BILLS at par on the Public Treasuries of the under-mentioned Districts may be had on application to the Accountant to the Government of Bengal :—

Districts.	Amount available on this date.	
Balasore,	50,000	
Bograh,	50,000	
Bullooah,	3,00,000	
Burdwan,	3,00,000	
Cuttack C. Dv.,	2,50,000	
Dinagepore,	63,000	At one per Cent. premium.
Jessore,	3,00,000	
Maldah,	87,000	
Midnapore,	50,000	
Pooree,	1,50,000	
Pubna,	50,000	
Purneah,	1,50,000	
Rungpore,	85,000	
Sylhet,	[illegible]000	
Tipperah,	[illegible],000	

[illegible]UGH LUSHINGTON,
Offg. Accountant to the Govt. of Bengal.

Accountant's Office, Revenue Department, The 18th Oct. 1853.

Notice.

THE General Treasury will be closed on Monday the 31st instant, and Tuesday the 1st and Thursday the 3rd proximo, on account of the Hindoo Holidays Kalee Poojah and Bhroteesditiah.

J. I. HARVEY,
Sub-Treasurer.

General Treasury, the 21st October 1853.

Opium Notification.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Tenth Sale of Opium, the Provision of 1851-52, will be held at the Exchange Hall on Wednesday, the 26th October 1853, at 11 A. M., and will comprise 3,290 chests, *viz.* :—

Behar Opium,	2,205
Benares ditto,	1,085
Total, Chests,	3,290

2nd. The general conditions of the Sale now advertised will be the same as usual. They may be ascertained by reference to the Notification issued on the 18th November 1852, and published in the *Calcutta* and *Exchange Gazettes*, or on application at the Office of the Board of Revenue.

3rd. The latest dates for deposit and clearance will be the 2nd November and 11th November 1853, respectively, that is to say, no Sub-Treasurer's receipts, Company's paper, or other Public Securities that may be tendered for deposit in redemption of Promissory Notes given by purchasers at the Sale will be received after 4 P. M. of Wednesday the 2nd November 1853, and no Treasury receipts in full payment of lots will be accepted after 4 P. M. of Friday, the 11th November 1853.

4th. In addition to the quantity above advertised for Sale, the following quantities, more or less, of Behar and Benares Opium of 1851-52, will be brought to Sale in the present year, on or about the dates specified below. The Board, however, reserve to themselves the right of altering these dates, should circumstances render it expedient to do so.

	Behar, about Chests.	Benares, about Chests.	Total, about Chests.
On or about Monday, 21st November 1853, ...	2,205	1,085	3,290
On or about Thursday, 15th December 1853, ...	2,208	1,064	3,272
	4,413	2,149	6,562

By order of the Board of Revenue,
A. R. YOUNG,
Offg. Junior Secretary.

Fort William, the 26th September 1853.

Notice.

SEALED Tenders, from Professional Builders only, will be received by the Officiating Civil Architect, in his Office in Fort William, up to 3 P. M. on Monday, the 31st October 1853.

For providing improved accommodation for the Cavalry and Infantry Guards on duty at Government House, Calcutta; also, for concentrating Guards and Cavalry Horses in one building, and the whole of the Staff Officers' Horses and other Horses in a corresponding building.

Specification and further information to be obtained from the Civil Architect's Office in Fort William.

Time for execution, (6) six months.

A deposit in cash of (100) one hundred Rupees is required with each tender.

W. ABERCROMBIE, *Major,*
Offg. Civil Architect.

Sheriff's Office, the 23rd September 1853.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a Sessions of Oyer and Terminer and Gaol Delivery, and also an Admiralty Sessions, will be holden by the Supreme Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal, for the Town of Calcutta and Factory of Fort William and the places subordinate thereto, at the Court-House, in the Town of Calcutta, on Saturday, the Twenty-second day of October next, at 12 o'clock at noon.

The Court will open on the first day of the Sessions at 12 o'clock at noon, and upon each succeeding day precisely at 11 o'clock in the forenoon, of which all persons are required to take notice.

F. BELLAIRS,
Sheriff.

সরিফ আফিস ২৩ সেপ্টেম্বর ১৮৫৩ সাল

সমাচার দেওয়া যাইতেছে যে আগামি ২২ অক্টোবর ১৮৫৩ সাল শনিবার দুই পুহরের সময় কলিকাতার কোর্ট উইলেমের এবং তাহার অন্তঃপাতি যে সকল স্থান তন্নিমিত্তে বঙ্গদেশের কোর্ট উই

লেমের সুপ্রেম কোর্ট আপন আদালত ঘরে ওএর টরমিনর এবং এডমাইরেলটী অর্থাৎ মহা সমুদ্র সম্বকীয় মোকদ্দমা নিষ্পত্তি জন্য এক লেশিয়ান অর্থাৎ মিছিল করিবেন।

এই লেশিয়ান জতকাল পর্য্যন্ত বসিবেক তাহার প্রথম দিবস দুই পুহরের সময় তাহার পর পতি দিবস এগারো ঘণ্টার সময় বসিবেক এবিষয় শকলে স্মরণ রাখুন।

F. BELLAIRS,
Sheriff.

General Post Office Notifications.

Export Overland Mail viâ Southampton and Marseilles, per P. and O. Co.'s Steamer "Bombay," direct from Calcutta.

NOTICE is hereby given, for general information, that the Mails for Suez and the intermediate Ports, (Madras, Ceylon, Aden, Penang, Singapore and Hong-Kong,) intended for transmission by the Peninsular and Oriental Company's Steam-vessel *Bombay*, will be closed at this Office on Friday, the 4th proximo.

No after-Packet will be made up for the above vessel.

J. R. BURLTON BENNETT,
Deputy Post-master General, in Charge.

Calcutta, General Post Office,
The 20th October 1853.

THE Public are informed, that the Overland Expresses between Bombay and Calcutta will be discontinued from this date.

J. R. BURLTON BENNETT,
Deputy Post-master General, in Charge.

Fort William,
General Post Office,
The 31st August 1853.

LIST of Remaining Letters and Parcels Unclaimed which accumulated from the Months of January to March 1853.

P.

Post, Esq A J—2nd Bengal Cavalry, Bengal, East Indies.
Parker, Lieutt Robert—R N, Calcutta, East Indies.
Pickards, Esq Samuel—P and O Co.'s compound, Garden Reach, near Calcutta.
Palmer, Esq W (2 letters)—Midnapore.
Percy, Mrs (2 letters)—Care of Capt Davidson, Wilson's Hotel, Calcutta.
Palmer, Mrs—Kidderpore Dock Yard, Calcutta.
Peters, Miss C—Care of Mrs Abo's, Garden Reach.
Parker, Mrs Dr—Jessore.
Pathaud, Mrs Francis—H C Accommodation Boat "Sutledge," Moonghyr, if passed on to be forwarded to Dinapore.
Pont, Mrs—Boitokannah, Jelay Tooly, Calcutta.
Phillett, Mrs Captain—10th N I Allahabad.
Pike, Mrs—Care of Mrs Graham, No 9, Sooterkin's Lane, Cossitollah, Calcutta.
Parara, Miss Margeate Elizebeth,—No 1, Mirza Mehdee's lane, Calcutta.
Pereira, Mrs J—at Chattawallah lane near Loll Bazar, No 22, Calcutta.
Parkhouse, Mr Robert—Post Office, Calcutta.
Pottinger, Dr J—Mungulpore.
Poulson, Esq H A (2 letters)—Kishnagur.
Pushong, Mr—Jeampore.
Peter, Dr—3rd Punjab Cavalry, Kohat.
P—r, Mr. A E—Care of Captain W Pascal, Coringa.
Pereira, Esq J (3 letters)—Burrisaul.
Paine, Mr R—No 24, Sooterkins lane, Cossitollah, Calcutta.
Pickering, Esq S F—Ship Officer and late Passenger, by the ship "London" Captain Nash, or at the Sailors' Home, Calcutta.
Priestley, Mr. Thomas—Supdt Female Factory, *viâ* Hobart Town, Van Diemun's Land.

(To be continued.)

J. R. BURLTON BENNETT,
Deputy Post-master General, in charge.

Fort William,
General Post Office,
22nd October 1853.

Report showing the smallest depth of Water in the Bhaugiruttee, Jellinghee and Matabangah Rivers also their rise and fall from 1st to 7th Oct. 1853.

NAMES OF RIVERS.	Smallest depth of Water.		Rise.		Total Rise.		Fall.		Total Fall.	
	f.	*i.*	*f.*	*i.*	*f.*	*i.*	*f.*	*i.*	*f.*	*i.*
Bhaugiruttee River.										
At its entrance, ...	9	0	1	1	24	10½	1	4½	9	7
Below the entrance,	11	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
From thence to Jungypore, ...	9	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
From Jungypore to Sadduckbaugh, ...	8	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
From Sadduckbaugh to Berhampore, ...	15	3	0	0	16	8	0	9	7	4
From Berhampore to Cutwah, ...	14	6	0	0	0	0	By Gauge. 0		0	0
And from Cutwah to Nuddea, ...	18	0	0	0	0	0	0		0	0
Jellinghee River.										
At its entrance, ...	9	0	1	½	25	0	1	5	8	10
From thence to Bausemarree, ...	14	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
From Bausemarree to Teeahkattah, ...	9	9	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
From Teeahkattah to Sonatullah, ...	17	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
And from Sonatullah to Moisgunge, ...	19	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Matabangah River.										
At its entrance, ...	25	6	0	10½	25	11½	1	1½	0	8
From thence to Hautboleah, ...	21	6	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
From Hautboleah to Katchikattah, ...	14	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
From Katchikattah to Kishengunge, ...	19	6	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
And from Kishengunge to Seebpore,	15	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0

Height of water on Gauge at Berhampore on the 7th October 1853, + 16 feet 8 inches.

J. LANG,
Supdt. Nuddea Rivers.

Kishnaghur, 18th Oct. 1853.

Court for the Relief of Insolvent Debtors at Calcutta.

In the matter of William Henry Beaumont, of Mullungah, in Calcutta, Watchmaker, an Insolvent.

Notice,—that the petition of the said Insolvent seeking the benefit of the Act XI. Vic., ap. XXI. was filed in the office of the Chief Clerk on the 19th day of October instant, and by an Order of the same date the estate and effects of the said Insolvent were vested in the Official Assignee.

Biddle and Sherriagton, *Attornies.*

In the matter of John Lowis Lemarchand, formerly an Indigo Planter, and now a Surveyor in the Coinm Department of the Honorable East India Company at Ghazeepore, at present residing at No. 7, Esplanade Row, Calcutta, an Insolvent.

On Thursday, the 20th day of October instant, It was ordered, that the hearing in this matter shall be on the 3rd day of December next, and that the said Insolvent do then attend to be examined by the said Court.

In the matter of John Low[illegible] Lemarchand, formerly [illegible] digo Pla[illegible] veyor [illegible]um Department of the Honorable East India Company at Ghazeepore, at present residing at No. 7, Esplanade Row, Calcutta, an Insolvent.

Notice,—That the petition of the said Insolvent seeking the benefit of the Act XI. Vic. Cap. XXI., was filed in the Office of the Chief Clerk on the 20th day of October instant, and by an order of the same date the estate and effects of the said Insolvent were vested in the Official Assignee.

Wight and Orr, *Attornies.*

In the matter of John Mackey, at present of Jackson's Ghaut Street, in Calcutta, Merchant, formerly carrying on business in co-partnership together with David Campbell Mackey and Edward Creaton, under the style and firm of D. C. Mackey and Company, an Insolvent.

On Thursday, the 6th day of October instant, it was ordered, that the hearing in this matter shall be in the 3rd day of December next, and that the said Insolvent do then attend to be examined by the said Court.

In the matter of John Mackey, at present of Jackson's Ghaut Street, in Calcutta, Merchant, formerly carrying on business in co-partnership together with David Campbell Mackey and Edward Creaton, under the style and firm of D. C. Mackey and Company, an Insolvent.

Notice,—that the petition of the said Insolvent seeking the benefit of the Act XI. Vic. Cap. XXI., was filed in the office of the Chief Clerk on the 6th day of October instant, and by an order of the same date the estate and effects of the said Insolvent were vested in the Official Assignee.

Allan and Thomas, *Attorneys.*

Chief Clerk's Office, 21st October 1853.

In the Court for the Relief of Insolvent Debtors at Singapore.

In the matters of Kristna Samy, late a Writer, Ko Pow and Lim Kim Liu, late traders, Appow, late a milk-seller, Meera Gunny, late a curt-owner, Appoo, late a dhobee, Tam Tay You, late a trader, and Pitchey, late a trader, all of Singapore, respectively, Insolvents.

Notice is hereby given that petitions have been filed in the said Court by the above-named Insolvents, praying for the benefit of the Act, and that the estate and effects of the said Insolvents, respectively, have been vested in the Official Assignee of the said Court. The matters of the petitions of the said Insolvents will be heard at the Court-House at Singapore, on Monday the fifth day of December next, at 11 o'Clock in the forenoon. Any creditor intending to oppose the discharge of any of the said Insolvents must give notice thereof in writing to such Insolvents *three clear days* before the day of hearing, and a like notice to the Chief Clerk on or before the day preceding the day of hearing.

H. C. Caldwell,
Chief Clerk,
Singapore.

Chief Clerk's Office,
Singapore,
5th October 1853.

Shaw Coondunloll and Shaw Foondunloll, Complainants, and Shaw Roghoburdyal and Shaw Muckunloll, Defendants,

By Original Bill.

Shaw Coondunloll and Shaw Foondunloll, Complainants, and Shaw Roghoburdyal and Shaw Muckunloll Mohaneejee Bohoo and Lutchmeejee Bohoo, Defendants,

By Amended Bill.

PURSUANT to a decretal order of the Supreme Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal, made on the twenty-eighth day of February, in the year of Christ one thousand eight hundred and fifty-three, on the Equity side thereof, in the above cause, the Creditors of Shaw Beharryloll and Shaw Gobindloll, late respectively of Lucknow, in the Kingdom of Oude, Shroffs and Merchants, who respectively died some time in the Sumbut year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-four, are hereby required to come in and prove their respective debts before William Macpherson, Esquire, the Master of the said Court, at his office in the Court-House, on or before the first day of November next, or in default thereof they will be peremptorily excluded from the benefit of the said order.

W. Macpherson,
Master.

Molloy and Mackintosh,
Complainant's Solicitors.
Calcutta.

Supreme Court, Master's Office,
The 1st August 1853.

Notice.

A sum of Rs. 135-12-7, belonging to the estate of the late Mr. Phefferbloom, Head Clerk in the Office of the Collector of Customs at Bassein, is now in deposit in this Court, and will be paid to any person who may prove himself entitled to receive the same.

C. Sharp,
P. A. Commr.

Kyouk Phyoo,
September 1853.

LOST.—First Half of a Bank of Bengal Note, No. 38134, for Company's Rupees 100, payment of which has been stopped at the Bank.

LOST.—Following Halves of Bengal Bank-notes:

No. 21065
,, 5550
,, 21231
,, 17816
,, 36655

For 100 Rupees each.

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WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 26, 1853.

Notifications, Appointments, &c.

No. 703.

Fort William, Home Department,
The 21st October 1853.

NOTIFICATION.—Mr. H. G. Astell, Civil Service, reported his return from Sea, on board the Steamer *Bombay*, on the 14th instant.

GEO. PLOWDEN,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt of India.

No. 4513.

Fort William, Foreign Department,
The 21st October 1853.

Notifications.—The leave of absence granted by the Lord Bishop of Calcutta to the Reverend T. A. C. Firminger, B. A., Chaplain of Ferozepore, for one month, under Section XXV. of the Absentee Rules, is confirmed; and he has obtained further leave for three months, to enable him to proceed to Bombay, preparatory to embarking for Europe on furlough.

No. 4514.

The leave of absence, under Medical certificate, granted by Captain H. B. Lynch, late Commanding Indian Naval Squadron in the Bay of Bengal, to Assistant Surgeon H. Wilson, M. D., attached to the Honorable Company's Steam-frigate "Feroze," from the 11th to the 30th September last, is confirmed.

No. 4515.

The leave of absence, to the 15th of December next, granted by the Chief Commissioner of the Punjab to Mr. D. McArthy, Deputy Collector of Salt Revenue, in extension of the leave granted to him in G. O. of the 22nd July last, No. 3223, is confirmed.

No. 4516.

With advertence to Clause XVIII. of Act No. V. of 1852, the Governor General in Council is pleased to make the following assignment of States and Districts in Malwa and the adjacent Territory, as Marriage Registration Districts, for the purposes of the Indian Marriage Act.

Mr. E. H. Anson, Assistant to the Resident at Indore, to be Marriage Registrar for the Holkar State and for Dhar.

Lieutenant Colonel F. H. Sandys, Political Agent at Mehidpore, to be Marriage Registrar for the States of Rutlam, Sillana and Scindia's Satmahellah Districts.

Lieutenant R. H. Keatinge, Political Assistant in Nimar, to be Marriage Registrar for the Province of Nimar.

Lieutenant A. R. E. Hutchinson, in charge of the Political duties at Bhopawur, to be Marriage Registrar for the States of Jabhooa, Burwani, Alirajpoor, and the Districts within the limits of the Bhopawur Agency.

No. 4517.

The 25th October 1853.

The leave of absence, granted by the Chief Commissioner of the Punjab to Sub-assistant Surgeon Pundit Bukshee Ram, of Goojranwalah, for three months, from the date on which he may avail himself of it, on urgent private affairs, to visit Delhi, is confirmed.

No. 4518.

Assistant Surgeon J. Fayrer, M. D., assumed charge on the 19th instant of the offices of Residency Surgeon and Post-master at Lucknow, from Assistant Surgeon S. G. Bonsfield.

No. 4519.

The leave of absence for one month granted by the Chief Commissioner of the Punjab, and confirmed in G. O. G. G., No. 4155, dated the 23rd ultimo, to Mr. T. D. Forsyth, Assistant Commissioner of Kangra, is cancelled at the request of that Officer.

J. P. GRANT,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of India.

No. 1889.

Orders by the Most Noble the Governor of Bengal.

Appointments.—The 8th October 1853.—The Collectors of Hooghly and Burdwan have been respectively vested with the powers described in the 2nd and the following Sections of Act XLII. of 1850.

The 21st October 1853.—The Collector of Beerbhoom has been vested with the powers described in the 2nd and the following Sections of Act XLII. of 1850.

Leave of Absence.—The 22nd October 1853.—Mr. H. C. Halkett, Collector of Tipperah, for one month, under Section XI. of the Amended Absentee Rules, from the 14th proximo, making over charge of his office to Baboo Prankissen Rae, Deputy Collector.

Notification.—The 7th October 1853.—The Most Noble the Governor of Bengal has been pleased to sanction the union of the Moonsiffships of Pelasbaree and Bhowanceegunge in Zillah Rungpore, the Court of the united jurisdiction being established at Buddeakhalee.

Erratum.

In orders by the Most Noble the Governor of Bengal No. 1861, printed in the *Calcutta Gazette*, page 1433, column 2, line 10 from bottom, for "Additional Civil and Sessions Judge" read *Additional Judge.*

No. 1772.

Notification.—The 4th October 1853.—With reference to the Notification, No. 1388, dated the 21st July last, which appeared in the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 23rd idem, the following despatch from the Hon'ble the Court of Directors, together with the letter referred to therein, is published for general information.

Public Department.

OUR GOVERNOR GENERAL OF INDIA IN COUNCIL.

No. 48 of 1853.—With reference to our Despatch in this Department, dated 24th May last, No. 30, we forward copy of a letter which has been addressed to Her Majesty's Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs by the French Ambassador, stating the decision which has been come to by the Government of His Imperial Majesty in regard to Foreign prohibited goods which may be sent to the Universal Exhibition to be held in Paris in May 1855, and we request that you will give the greatest possible publicity to the liberal intentions of the French Government, as stated in Count Walewski's letter.

We are &c.,

(Sd.) RUSSELL ELLICE,
" J. OLIPHANT.
and other Directors.

London,
20th July 1853.

[TRANSLATION.]

London, the 22th of June 1855.

To the Right Hon'ble the Earl of Clarendon,
&c., &c., &c.

MY LORD,

With reference to the Universal Exhibition which is to take place at Paris in 1855 several manufacturers have addressed the Minister of the Interior to know, first, whether articles of which the importation is prohibited in France will be admitted at the Exhibition, and secondly, whether on the close of the Exhibition, these articles will be admitted for home consumption, or whether they must be re-exported.

These two questions, my Lord, have received an answer in accordance with the enlightened views which inspired the Government of His Majesty the Emperor to decree the Universal Exhibition of 1855. It has been consequently decided, not only that prohibited merchandize shall be admitted to the Exhibition, but also that, after it shall have closed, the exhibitors will have the option either to re-export the said merchandize free of duty, or to enter them for home consumption, on paying a duty of 30 per cent. *ad valorem.*

These conditions will be excluded in the general rules which are now under preparation, but in consequence of the opinions which appear to have been already excited abroad as to the rules affecting prohibited merchandize destined for the Exhibition of Paris in 1855, I have been charged with the honor of informing your Excellency of the resolutions adopted in this respect by the Government of His Majesty the Emperor. Your Excellency will perhaps consider it advisable to give immediate information of this arrangement to the manufacturers and artizans who are subjects of Her Britannic Majesty.

I have the honor to be,

&c., &c.,
(Signad) A. WALEWSKI.

By order of the Most Noble the Governor of Bengal,

CECIL BEADON,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

Orders by the Government of the North-Western Provinces.

No. 4012 *A* of 1853.

Revenue Department,

Agra, the 14th October 1853.

Notification.—Meer Neeaz Ally is promoted to the Second Grade of Deputy Collectors, from the 3rd August.

No. 4066 of1853.

Judicial and Revenue Department,

Agra, the 17th October 1853.

Leave of Absence.—Mr. Martin Richard Gubbins, Magistrate and Collector of Agra, for seven days, under Section XII. of the Amended Absentee Rules, in extension of the leave granted to him in orders of the 10th ultimo.

No. 4068 of 1853.

Mr. Allan Octavian Hume, Assistant to the Magistrate and Collector of Allyghur, on Medical certificate, under Section VIII. of the Amended Absentee Rules, to the 20th November next.

No. 4075 of 1853.

Mr. John Rycroft Best, Joint Magistrate and Deputy Collector of Ghazeepoor, for one month, under Section XI. of the Amended Absentee Rules, from the date on which he may make over charge of his duties to Mr. Ellis.

Appointment.—Mr Edward Larken Ellis to officiate as Joint Magistrate and Deputy Collector of Ghazeepoor, during the absence of Mr. Best.

No. 4095 of 1853.

Agra, the 18th October 1853.

Leave of Absence.—Captain Alexander Skene, Deputy Commissioner, First Class, Saugor, from the 26th to the 30th ultimo, under Section XI. of the Amended Absentee Rules.

No. 4108 of 1853.

Agra, the 19th October 1853.

Mr. Fergusson Floyer Hogg, Officiating Joint Magistrate and Deputy Collector of Etah, for one month and five days, under Sections XI. and XII. of the Amended Absentee Rules, from the date on which he may make over charge of his duties to Mr. Francis Otway Mayne

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No. 4110 of 1853.

Mr. Edward Henry Cradock Monckton, Officiating Magistrate and Collector of Etawah, is permitted to take twelve days of the unexpired portion of the leave granted to him in orders of the 8th August last, from such date after the close of the Mohurrum Festival as he may avail himself of it.

No. 4112 of 1853.

Mr. Henry Walmsley Hammond, Officiating Joint Magistrate and Deputy Collector of Budaon, for one month, under Section XI. of the Amended Absentee Rules, in addition to the time allowed for joining his appointment in the Saugor and Nerbudda Territories.

No. 4091 of 1853.

Judicial Department,

Agra, the 17th October 1853.

Captain George Remington Cookson, Cantonment Joint Magistrate of Meerut, for fifteen days, under Section XI. of the Amended Absentee Rules, from the date on which he may avail himself of the leave.

No. 4093 of 1853.

Agra, the 18th October 1853.

Notification.—The Services of Surgeon George Paton, M. D., Officiating Civil Surgeon of Delhie, are placed at the disposal of His Excellency the Commander in Chief.

No. 4099 of 1853.

Leave of Absence.—Syud Tussuddook Hossein Khan, Principal Sudder Ameen of Cawnpore, for six weeks, on Medical certificate, from the 4th proximo.

By order of the Government, North-Western Provinces.

W. Muir,
Secy. to Govt., N. W. P.

General Orders by the Most Noble the Governor General of India in Council.

Fort William, 21st October 1853.

No. 852 of 1853.—Ramkulleah, family pensioner, No. 585, Dinapore Circle, who under G. O. C. C. dated 9th September 1841, obtained admittance to the Family Pension Establishment as widow of the late Seochurn, tent lascar, 1st European Light Infantry, having been proved never to have been the wife of the deceased, is to be struck off the Family Pension Rolls from date of last payment made to her.

No. 854 of 1853.—With reference to Government General Order No. 675, dated 26th August 1853, the permission granted on the 30th September last by the Bombay Government to Ensign William Frederick Pearse, of the 41st Regiment Bengal Native Infantry, to proceed from Bombay to Europe on furlough, on Medical certificate, is confirmed.

No. 855 of 1853.—The under-mentioned man is admitted to pension, as specified opposite to his name, under the provisions of Minute of Council of the 11th January 1797, and General Orders dated 5th February 1820, subject to the confirmation of the Honorable the Court of Directors:—

Serjeant Lawrence Anger, 2nd Company European Artillery, Invalids, ...	Two (2s.) Shillings per diem, payable in Europe.

Fort William, 22nd October 1853.

No. 856 of 1853.—The following Notification from the Foreign Department is re-published in General Orders:

No. 1468, dated 19th October 1853.—The Governor General in Council is pleased to appoint Major H. B. Edwardes, C. B., Deputy Commissioner in Hazara, to be Commissioner and Superintendent of Peshawur, in succession to Lieutenant Colonel F. Mackeson, C. B., deceased.

No. 857 of 1853.—The under-mentioned gentleman is admitted to the Service, in conformity with his appointment by the Honorable the Court of Directors, as an Assistant Surgeon on this Establishment:

Medical Department.	*Date of arrival at Fort William.*
Mr. John Edward Tuson, ...	14th Oct. 8853.

Fort William, the 24th October 1853.

No. 858 of 1853.—The under-mentioned gentleman is admitted to the Service in conformity with his appointment by the Honorable the Court of Directors, as an Assistant Surgeon on this Establishment.

Medical Department.	*Date of Arrival at Fort William.*
Francis Nottidge Macnamara, M. D., ...	21st October 1853.

Fort William, the 25th October 1853.

No. 859 of 1853.—The leave of absence to visit Dhurrumsalla, on Medical certificate, granted

to Second Lieutenant A. S. Johnstone, Executive Engineer, Western Sirhind Division, Department of Public Works, in General Order, No. 737, of the 16th September 1853, is further extended to the 7th October 1853, on the same account.

No. 860 *of* 1853.—Third Class Sub-Assistant Surgeon Obhoy Churn Newgee, attached to the Government Charitable Dispensary at Shajehanpore, having been pronounced qualified for advancement, is promoted to the Second Class from the 21st May 1853, the day following that on which he completed his first septennial period of ervice.

No. 861 *of* 1853.—The Most Noble the Governor General in Council is pleased to direct that the periodical issue to Native Mounted Corps of Cloth Overalls, on account of which a monthly deduction is made from the pay of the men under the rules laid down in Government General Order No. 57 of the 5th February 1847, shall be discontinued, and the monthly deductions are to cease from the 1st January 1854.

In future, Cloth Overalls in excess of those provided biennially as regular clothing, will be supplied by the Clothing Board on payment, to Native Mounted Corps, only when specially applied for by Commanding Officers, but these Overalls will under no circumstances be renewed, until they have been in wear for two years.

The actual cost, inclusive of packing, transit and other necessary charges of the Overalls so supplied will be charged to Commanding Officers, who will recover the amount from the pay of the men.

All deductions made by Pay-masters on account of Overalls which would become due at the next periods of issue will be returned, and Commanding Officers are to send in bills accordingly to the Clothing Board, who after checking them will authorize payment.

No. 862 *of* 1853.—Second Lieutenant David Limond, of Engineers, at present doing duty under the Garrison Engineer Fort William, is appointed an Assistant in the Second Division Grand Trunk Road, *vice* Lieutenant W. C. R. Mylne, of the 74th Regiment Native Infantry, appointed to another situation.

No. 863 *of* 1853.—The Most Noble the Governor General of India in Council is pleased to make the following appointment:

Senior Surgeon Alexander Davidson, M. D., of the 10th Regiment Light Cavalry, to be Superintending Surgeon, *vice* Superintending Surgeon F. Corbyn, deceased.

No. 864 *of* 1853.—Lieutenants R. Davidson, of the 64th, and G. R. Roberts, of the 41st Native Infantry, Sub-Assistant Commissaries General on probation, having satisfactorily passed the examination prescribed in General Order by the Governor General dated 16th September 1851, are permanently appointed to the Commissariat Department.

R. J. H. Birch, *Lieut.-Colonel,*
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of India,
Military Department.

Ecclesiastical.

Notice.

The following Candidates having been ordained Deacons for this Diocese, the Lord Bishop has appointed them to officiate in the Archdeaconry of Calcutta, namely:—

The Reverend Henry Marshall Jackson and the Reverend William Ward Nicholls.

The following Deacons having been ordained Priests, have been appointed to officiate as Missionaries in this Diocese, namely:—

The Reverend Henry Stern and the Reverend Albert Peter Neele.

The Reverend Charles Parsons, being also ordained Priest, has been licensed to officiate at Mozufferpore.

Dated at Calcutta, this 24th October 1853.

By desire of the Bishop,

Wm. Hy. Abbott,
Registrar.

Notification.

Bills at par on the Public Treasuries of the under-mentioned Districts may be had on application to the Accountant to the Government of Bengal:—

Districts.	*Amount available on this date.*	
Balasore,	50,000	
Bogirah,	50,000	
Bullooah,	3,00,000	
Burdwan,	1,80,000	
Cuttack,	2,50,000	
Dinagepore,	60,000	at 6 annas premium.
Jessore,	3,00,000	
Maldah,	20,000	at 4 annas premium.
Midnapore,	50,000	
Pubna,	50,000	
Purneah,	90,000	
Sylhet,	50,000	
Tipperah,	2,50,000	

C. Hugh Lushington,
Offg. Accountant to the Govt. of Bengal.

Accountant's Office, Revenue Department, The 25th Oct. 1853.

Opium Notification.

Notice is hereby given, that the Tenth Sale of Opium, the Provision of 1851-52, will be held at the Exchange Hall on Wednesday, the 26th October 1853, at 11 A. M., and will comprise 3,290 chests, viz.:—

Behar Opium,	2,205
Benares ditto,	1,085
Total, Chests,	3,290

2nd. The general conditions of the Sale now advertised will be the same as usual. They may be ascertained by reference to the Notification issued on the 18th November 1852, and published in the *Calcutta* and *Exchange Gazettes*, or on application at the Office of the Board of Revenue.

3rd. The latest dates for deposit and clearance will be the 2nd November and 11th November 1853, respectively, that is to say, no Sub-Treasurer's receipts, Company's paper, or other Public Securities that may be tendered for deposit in redemption of Promissory Notes given by purchasers at the Sale will be received after 4 P. M. of Wednesday the 2nd November 1853, and no Treasury receipts in full payment of lots will be accepted after 4 P. M. of Friday, the 11th November 1853.

4th. In addition to the quantity above advertised for Sale, the following quantities, more or less, of Behar and Benares Opium of 1851-52, will be brought to Sale in the present year, on or about the dates specified below. The Board, however, reserve to themselves the right of alter- these dates, should circumstances render it expedient to do so.

	Behar, about Chests.	Benares, about Chests.	Total about Chests.
On or about Monday, 21st November 1853, ...	2,205	1,085	3,290
On or about Thursday, 15th December 1853, ...	2,208	1,064	3,272
	4,413	2,149	6,562

By order of the Board of Revenue,

A. R. YOUNG,
Offg. Junior Secretary.

Fort William, the 26th September 1853.

Notice.

THE General Treasury will be closed on Monday the 31st instant, and Tuesday the 1st and Thursday the 3rd proximo, on account of the Hindoo Holidays Kalee Poojah and Bhrotees-ditiah.

J. I. HARVEY,
Sub-Treasurer.

General Treasury, the 21st October 1853.

Notice.

SEALED Tenders, from Professional Builders only, will be received by the Officiating Civil Architect, in his Office in Fort William up to 3 P. M. on Monday, the 31st October 1853.,

For providing improved accommodation for the Cavalry and Infantry Guards on duty at Government House, Calcutta; also, for concentrating Guards and Cavalry Horses in one building, and the whole of the Staff Officers' Horses and other Horses in a corresponding building.

Specification and further information to be obtained from the Civil Architect's Office in Fort William.

Time for execution (6) six months.

A deposit in cash of (100) one hundred Rupees is required with each tender.

W. ABERCROMBIE, *Major,*
Offg. Civil Architect.

General Post Office Notifications.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Mails for the Screw Steamer *Propontis*, will be closed at this Office on Monday the 31st instant.

J. R. BURLTON BENNETT,
Deputy Post-master General, in Charge.

Calcutta, General Post Office, The 22nd October 1853.

Export Overland Mail viâ Southampton and Marseilles, per P. and O. Co.'s Steamer "Bombay," direct from Calcutta.

NOTICE is hereby given, for general information, that the Mails for Sue and the intermediate Ports, (Madras, Ceylon, Aden, Penang, Singapore and Hong-Kong,) intended for transmission by the Peninsular and Oriental Company's Steam-vessel *Bombay*, will be closed at this Office on Friday, the 4th proximo.

No after-Packet will be made up for the above vessel.

J. R. BURLTON BENNETT,
Deputy Post-master General, in Charge.

Calcutta, General Post Office, The 20th October 1853.

THE Public are informed, that the Overland Expresses between Bombay and Calcutta will be discontinued from this date.

J. R. BURLTON BENNETT,
Deputy Post-master General, in Charge.

Fort William, General Post Office, The 31st August 1853.

LIST of Remaining Letters and Parcels Unclaimed which accumulated from the Months of January to March 1853.

P.

Pyster, Dr C E—Str "Fire Queen," Sand Heads.
Peter, Mons—No 7, Cinapara.
Pigott, Esq John (2 letters)—Calcutta.
Paretoe, Mr—Sloop "Sophia," sunk Below Kedgree.
Pogson, Mrs Catherine—Depôt 1st European Bengal Fusiliers, Meerut, Bengal.
Petit, Monsr Julien—Chirurgien de la marine chery, India.
Poochar,—New Bazaar, Calcutta.
Phillips, Mr Henry—Ship "Cambridge."
Parish, Mr E—2nd Officer Ship "David Malcolm."
Pearch, Mr—3rd Officer "Hugomont."
Parker, Mr J R (2 letters)—Ship "Helen, Dou[illegible]
Patterson, Mr Clark (2 letters)—Care of C. [illegible]son, Ship "Joseph Sanderson."
Parmer, Wm—Ship "Lord Dalhousie."
Frond, Mr Robert—Carpenter Ship "Lord [illegible]alhousie."
Pronean, Monsr—A bord du "Sans Non."
Peyrona, Monsr Edouard (2 letters)—Sous L att a Bord du Trois Matt Le "Damblat."
Peters, Captain J T—Gumburgon Ovleff Mai s.
Polson, Mr. George—Chief Officer Ship "Saadin."
Philips, Mr. James—Steamer "Morcis," Calcutta.

Q.

Quin, Lt R O—2nd Regt Lt Cavly, on leave, Calcutta.
Quinbrah, Mr Lewis—Seeconey on board the Ship "Julia."

R.

Radcliffe, Capt G T—7th Regt Lt Cavly, Saugor.
Roxburgh, Capt James—East India Co.'s Service, Bengal.
Roberts, Esq H M (4 letters)—Chittagong.
Robinson, Esq J J—At R Reddie's Esq, Garden Reach, Calcutta, East Indies.
Ryan, Esq E M (2 letters)—Principal Asstt G G's Agent, S W Frontier, Hazareebag.
Richardson, Esq Ronald (2 letters)—2nd Bengal L Cavalry, Bundlecund, India.
Rawlin's, Lt-Colonel W W—43rd Regt N I Company, Berhampore.
Ricketts, Esq G R—"Gunga" Flat, to await his arrival at Rampore Bauleah.

(To be continued.)

J. R. BURLTON BE[illegible]ETT,
Deputy Post-master General, in charge.

Fort William; General Post Office, 26th October 1853.

Report showing the smallest depth of Water in the Bhaugiruttee, Jellinghee and Matabangah Rivers, also their rise and fall, from 8th to 15th Oct. 1853.

NAMES OF RIVERS.	Smallest depth of Water.		Rise.		Total Rise.		Fall.		Total Fall.	
	f.	*i.*	*f.*	*i.*	*f.*	*i.*	*f.*	*i.*	*f.*	*i.*
Bhaugiruttee River.										
At its entrance, ...	9	0	0	5	25	3½	1	5	11	0
Below the entrance,	12	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
From thence to Jungypore, ...	6	9	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
From Jungypore to Sadduckbaugh, ...	8	6	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
From Sadduckbaugh to Berhampore, ...	9	0	0	0	13	4	By Gauge. 3	4	10	8
From Berhampore to Cutwah, ..	10	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
And from Cutwah to Nuddea, ...	10	6	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Jellinghee River.										
At its entrance, ...	6	11	0	3	25	2	2	2	11	0
From thence to Bausemarree, ...	6	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
From Bausemarree to Teeahkattah, ..	9	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
From Teeahkattah to Sonatullah, ..	12	9	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
And from Sonatullah to Moisgunge, ...	14	9	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Matabangah River.										
At its entrance, ..	24	6	0	2½	26	2	1	9½	8	5½
From thence to Hautbolan, ..	6	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
From Matabangah to Bauleah, ..	12	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
From Bauleah to Kishengunge, ..	18	9	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
And from Kishengunge to Seebpore	13	6	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0

Height of water on Gauge at Berhampore on the 15th October 1853, + 13 feet 4 inches.

J. LANG,
Supdt. Nuddea Rivers.

Kishnaghur, 22nd Oct. 1853.

Court for the Relief of Insolvent Debtors at Calcutta.

In the matter of John Lowis Lemarchand, formerly an Indigo Planter, and now a Surveyor in the Opium Department of the Honorable East India Company at Ghazeepore, at present residing at No. 7, Esplanade Row, Calcutta, an Insolvent.

On Thursday, the 20th day of October instant, It was ordered, that the hearing in this matter shall be on the 3rd day of December next, and that the said Insolvent do then attend to be examined by the said Court.

In the matter of John Mackey, at present of Jackson's Ghaut Street, in Calcutta, Merchant, formerly carrying on business in co-partnership together with David Campbell Mackey and Edward Creaton, under the style and firm of D. C. Mackey and Company, an Insolvent.

On Thursday, the 6th day of October instant, it was ordered, that the hearing in this matter shall be in the 3rd day of December next, and that the said Insolvent do then attend to be examined by the said Court.

Allan and Thomas, *Attornies.*

Chief Clerk's Office, 21st October 1853.

In the matter of William Henry Beaumont, of Mullungah, in Calcutta, Watchmaker, an Insolvent.

On Wednesday the 19th day of October instant, It was ordered, that the hearing in this matter shall be on the 3rd day of December next, and that the said Insolvent do then attend to be examined by the said Court.

Liddle and Sherrington, *Attornies.*

Chief Clerk's Office, 24th October 1853.

In the matter of William Holland, late carrying on business, as an Indigo Planter and manufacturer in co-partnership with Raboo Muttyloll Seal at the Cheynpore factories, Shahabad, in the province of Behar subsequently carrying on the same business as proprietor of that concern, more recently manager of the Boychuprah Indigo concern in the district of Monghyr, in the province of Behar, and at present without employment residing at Sooterkin's Lane, in the town of Calcutta, an Insolvent.

Notice,—that an application for an *ad interim* protection order has been this day made by the said Insolvent, and that such application will be heard, and disposed of by the acting commissioner of the Insolvent Court, on Tuesday, the 1st day of November next, at the hour of 10 o'Clock in the forenoon.

☞ "*Any Creditor of the said Insolvent desirous* "*of opposing such application do appear before the* "*said Court at the time and place aforesaid.*"

Robertson, *Attorney.*

Chief Clerk's Office 25th October 1853.

LOST.—Following Halves of Bengal Bank-note

No. 21065
" 5550
" 21231 } For 100 Rupees each.
" 17816
" 36655

LOST.—Half of a Bank of Bengal Note, No. 22080, for Company's Rupees 100, payment of which has been stopped at the Bank.

PURSUANT to a decree of the Supreme Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal, made in a cause wherein Robert Townsend Allan and James Mackintosh the younger, Administrators of Robert Hastie, deceased, are complainants, and James Pelham McKilligin, Archibald Hastie and John Cameron are Defendants,—All persons claiming to be creditors or legatees of James Hastie, formerly of Calcutta, Merchant, deceased, (who died in or about the month of April 1848,) are forthwith to come in and prove their claims before John Cochrane, Esquire, the Acting Master of the Supreme Court, at his Office in the Court House, on or before the 3rd day of December next, or in default thereof they will be peremptorily excluded from the benefit of the said decree.

JOHN COCHRANE,
Acting Master.

Judge, Vrignon and Newmarch,
Complainant's Attornies.

Calcutta,
Supreme Court, Master's Office,
The 3rd October 1853.

Bank of Bengal Rates.

Discount.

Private Bills and Notes, at or within 3 months,	5 per Cent.
Government Acceptances, do.,	3 „ „

Interest charged.

On Fixed Loans, not exceeding 3 months, on Deposit of Company's Paper,	4 „ „
On Deposit of Goods,	5 „ „

On Accounts of Credit, ½ per Cent. in excess of the above rates respectively.

WM. GREY,
Secy. & Treasurer.

Bank of Bengal,
8th September 1853.

Notice.

THE interest and responsibility of Mr. August Kaufmann ceased in our firm on the 30th April last.

WIENHOLT BROTHERS & Co.

Calcutta, 20th October 1853.

[*Published this day,—18th Oct.*]

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OF THE

Moorshedabad Murder Case,

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NOTIFICATION.

The 14th May 1853.

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CECIL BEADON,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

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SATURDAY, OCTOBER 29, 1853.

Legislative Enactment.

Passed Act.

Fort William, Home Department, Legislative.
The 21st October 1853.

The following Act passed by the Governor General of India in Council on the 21st October 1853, is hereby promulgated for general information.

ACT No XIV. OF 1853.

An Act for regulating the collection and distribution of the Effects of Officers, Seamen and others dying in the Marine Service of the East India Company called the Indian Navy.

WHEREAS it has been deemed expedient, in pursuance of the Provisions of an Act passed in a Session of Parliament holden in the 3rd and 4th years of the reign of Her Majesty Queen Victoria, to provide for the due collection, conversion into money, application, remittance and distribution of the effects of Officers, Engineers, Soldiers, Marines, Seamen and all others belonging to the Marine Establishment of the East India Company called the Indian Navy, who shall die in the Service of the said Company out of the United Kingdom, and for the discharge of their marine debts, It is enacted as follows :

I. When any Commissioned Officer belonging to the Indian Navy shall die in the Service of the East India Company out of the United Kingdom, whether his death shall take place on board Ship or on shore the First Lieutenant of the Ship or Vessel to which such Officer belonged at the time of his death, or the Officer of such Ship or Vessel next in rank to the Commander thereof, or the Commander himself if there is no other Commissioned Officer on board, or any Officer he may appoint, shall immediately secure all the effects and equipage of the deceased on board the said Ship or Vessel, or on shore in quarters, and any other effects of the deceased within the territorial possessions of the East India Company which the Commander of such Ship or Vessel shall direct or authorize to be collected or secured, and shall with all convenient speed, and not later than one month after the death of the Officer, with the assistance of two other Officers not under the rank of Purser or of Clerk in charge, such Clerk having served not less than two years at sea, to be appointed by the Commanding Officer of the said Ship or Vessel, make an inventory thereof, and transmit that inventory together with an account of the debts and credits to the Office of the Secretary to the Government of the Presidency of Bombay in the Marine Department, to the end that after payment of such Officer's marine or ship debts and the expenses of his interment where any shall have been incurred, the overplus if any shall be paid over by the said Secretary to the legal representatives of the Officer so deceased as hereinafter mentioned.

II. When any Non-commissioned Officer, Seaman or other person belonging to or serving in the Indian Navy shall die out of the United Kingdom in the Service of the East India Company, whether his death shall take place on board Ship or on shore, the First Lieutenant of the Ship or Vessel to which such Non-commissioned Officer, Seaman or other person belonged at the time of his death, or the Officer of such Ship or Vessel next in rank to the Commander thereof, or the Commander himself if there be no other Commissioned Officer on board, or any Officer he may appoint, shall immediately secure all the effects and equipage of the deceased on board the said Ship or Vessel, or on shore in quarters, and any other effects of the deceased within the territorial possessions of the East India Company which the Commander of the Ship or Vessel shall direct or authorize to be collected or secured, and shall with all convenient speed, not later than one month after the death, in the presence of two other Officers of the rank in the preceding section mentioned, to be appointed by the Commander of the said Ship or Vessel, take an inventory thereof and of his credits, and shall take care that the same be applied in the first instance to the liquidation of his marine or ship debts, the remainder, if any, to be paid over to the Secretary to the Government of Bombay in the Marine Department in order that the same may be paid to the legal representatives of the deceased.

III. When any such Commissioned or Non-commissioned Officer or Seaman, or other person shall at the time of his death as aforesaid have been detached temporarily from his own Ship and shall be serving with another Ship at a distance from his own, the Officers of the Ship in which the deceased was serving, as well as the Officers of the Ship to which the deceased belonged, at the time of his death, shall act in manner above directed in Sections I. and II. of this Act.

IV. If any Commissioned Officer, or Non-commissioned Officer, Seaman, or other person belonging to or serving in the Indian Navy shall die within the Presidency of Bombay, away from the Ship or Vessel to which he belongs, except when temporarily serving with another Ship, the Commander-in-Chief of the Indian Navy shall in such case appoint a Committee consisting of such three Officers as he

may direct, to secure the effects of the deceased, or such of them as he may direct, and to apply the same and act in regard thereto as in the first and second Sections of this Act mentioned.

V. The said First Lieutenant and other Officers to be selected and appointed for the purposes aforesaid, are hereby required to take upon them the said duties, and faithfully discharge the same, and in all respects to conform to the provisions and regulations hereinafter particularly specified.

VI. The effects and credits, within the territories under the Government of the East India Company, of Deserters from the Indian Navy, shall be collected and applied in like manner in payment of their marine or ship debts, and the remainder, if any, shall be brought to the credit of the said Company.

VII. It shall be lawful for the Officers, or other persons so authorized as aforesaid, to secure and collect the effects or any part of the effects of any such deceased Officer, Seaman or other person so dying as aforesaid, to ask, demand and receive any such effects to which his authority shall extend, and to commence, prosecute and carry on any actions or suits for the recovery thereof, and to sell and dispose of or otherwise deal with the same without taking out any letters of administration, either with any will annexed or otherwise, in every respect as if such Officers or persons employed or authorized as aforesaid had been appointed executors, and had proved the will or had taken out administration of such effects; and no Administrator General, Registrar of any Court in the East Indies, or any person acting under the appointment or authority of such Court *ad colligenda* or otherwise, shall in any manner interpose in relation to any such effects unless required or authorized so to do by any such Officer or person so authorized as aforesaid.

VIII. All sums of money due by deceased Officers, Engineers, Marines, Seamen, and other persons belonging to or serving in the Indian Navy, to the Indian Navy Fund, or in respect of mess-bills unadjusted since the last regular issue of pay-bills, or in respect of Military or Marine clothing appointments, or of equipments or other articles supplied from the Ship's stores, or of servants' wages due, or of any Ship expenses during the current month, or of any sanatarium or hospital charges, or of any mess or marine or ship accounts, and all sums of money due to any agent or Pay-master or Purser, or any other Officer upon any such account, or on account of any advance made for any such purpose, and also any charges or expenses attending or relating to the illness or funeral of any such Officer, Seaman or other person, shall be deemed and taken to be marine or ship debts, and shall be paid out of any arrears of pay or allowances, or out of any prize or bounty money, or the equipage, goods, chattels and effects of any Officer, Seaman or other person dying out of the United Kingdom while in the Service of the said Company, in preference to any other debts claims or demands whatsoever upon the estate and effects of such Officer, Seaman or other person, and if any doubt shall arise as to whether any claim or demand made in relation to any Officer, Seaman or other person is a marine or ship debt or not, or whether such charges or expenses attending or relating to the illness or funeral of such Officer, Seaman or other person are proper to be allowed, or whether any such marine or ship debts remain due, such question shall be decided and concluded by any order or certificate to be made by the Secretary to the Government, and all such payments shall be good and valid in law; and every person who shall make any such payment out of any such arrears of pay, effects, or proceeds as aforesaid under the provisions of this Act, or in pursuance of any such order or certificate of such Marine Secretary, or into whose hands any such money shall come, shall be and is hereby indemnified for and in respect of such payments, and all other acts, matters and things done in pursuance of the provisions of this Act, or of the order or certificate of the said Secretary in relation to the distribution of such assets, anything in any Act or Acts or law or laws to the contrary notwithstanding.

IX. All such marine or ship debts shall and may be paid without probate of any will or any letters of administration, and the surplus only of such arrears of pay or allowances, prize or bounty money, equipage, goods and chattels, or the proceeds thereof, shall be deemed the personal Estate of the deceased for the payment of duty in respect of any probate or of any letters of administration or for the purpose of distribution as personal estate, and it shall be lawful for the said Secretary to order and direct the payment or distribution of any such surplus, in any case in which the same shall not exceed Five hundred Company's rupees, without any probate or letters of administration, or payment of any duty of stamps or upon legacies or otherwise, and it shall also be lawful for any Pay-master or other person to issue any sum not exceeding the value of Five hundred Company's rupees which may be due to any such deceased Officer, Seaman, or other person unto the widow or relative of any such Officer, Seaman or other person, or unto the representative or representatives of any such widow or relative in India in like manner, without any probate or letters of administration or payment of any duty of stamps, or upon legacies or otherwise, the same to be paid to the person who shall be notified by the said Secretary as aforesaid as being entitled thereto, and all such payments respectively shall be as valid and effectual to all intents and purposes, as if the same had been made by or to any executor or administrator or under the authority of any probate or letters of administration, anything in any Act or Acts or law or laws to the contrary notwithstanding.

X. Any such effects, or the proceeds or surplus of such effects of any Officer, Seaman or other person so dying, when remitted to any person under any order of the Secretary to the Government of Bombay, or to such Secretary, shall not by reason of coming to the hands of such person or Secretary be taken to be assets or effects in the place to which such proceeds or surplus may be remitted, so as to render it necessary that administration should be taken out in respect thereof, and it shall be lawful for the Secretary to the Government of Bombay to order that such effects or the proceeds or surplus of any such effects shall be remitted to any other place in India where the same can more conveniently be paid over to the person or persons entitled thereto, and the obedience to the orders of such Secretary in respect to the payment and disposal of any such effects, proceeds or surplus of such effects shall be a discharge from all actions, suits and demands in respect thereof, to any person to whose hands any such effects, proceeds or surplus shall have come, and which shall have been paid and disposed of under the order of such Secretary.

XI. The effects or the proceeds or surplus of effects of any such Officer, Seaman or other person dying as aforesaid, which shall remain after satisfying such marine or ship debts as aforesaid, shall with all convenient speed be transmitted to such Secretary as aforesaid, by the Officer or person employed or required to take care of, collect and receive the same, and such Secretary shall cause the same or the surplus thereof remaining after satisfying such debts, and after and subject to such payment and application as is hereinbefore authorized, to be paid to the executor or legal representative (if in India) of such Officer, Seaman or other person, or if such executor or legal representative shall not be in India, or shall not within twelve months from the death of such Officer, Seaman or other person claim such surplus, then and in that case such Secretary shall remit the said surplus to the Court of Directors of the East India Company in London, to be by them paid to the executor or legal representative of such Officer, Seaman

Proprietors of Notes or acknowledgments who may desire to have the Interest payable at any other public Treasury than at the General Treasury of Calcutta, shall be entitled to receive it accordingly, provided they notify their wish to the Deputy Accountant General at Fort William, and transmit the Notes or acknowledgments to him to have an Order for the payment of Interest at the said Treasury written on the face of the Notes under the signature of the said Officer or that of his Assistant, and after such order shall, on the application of the proprietor, be inscribed on any No. , the Interest shall be payable only from the said Treasury unless the proprietor shall present the Note with an application, for the purpose of transferring the payment elsewhere to the Deputy Accountant General at Fort William.

The Promissory Notes of this Loan shall not be renewed, subdivided or consolidated except by the Deputy Accountant General at Fort William. The practice and rules heretofore in use in regard to the renewal, sub-division, and consolidation of Promissory Notes will be adhered to.

Published by order of the Most Noble the Governor General of India in Council,

C. ALLEN,
Secy. to the Govt. of India.

No. 706.

Fort William, Home Department,

The 26th October 1853.

Notifications.—Mr. J. C. Wilson, of the Civil Service, proceeded to Sea on board the Ship "Queen," on the 21st instant, under the leave granted to him by the Government of the North Western Provinces, in Orders of the 29th July last.

No. 707.

The Most Noble the Governor General of India in Council is pleased to permit Mr. W. J. H. Money to resign the East India Company's Civil Service, from the date of going to Sea of the Vessel on which he may embark for Europe.

GEO. PLOWDEN,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of India.

No. 4573.

Fort William, Foreign Department,

The 26th October 1853.

Notifications.—The Most Noble the Governor General in Council is pleased to grant Lieutenant J. T. Lumsden, Adjutant of the 5th Regiment of Infantry, Scindia's Contingent, leave of absence on Medical certificate for four months, from the 14th instant, to visit Calcutta, preparatory to applying for furlough to Europe.

No. 4574.

Lieutenant A. G. Davidson, Adjutant of the Mhairwarra Local Battalion, has obtained leave of absence for five months, from the 15th instant, to visit Madras, on urgent private affairs.

No. 4575.

The 28th October 1853.

The services of Captain N. R. Sneyd, of the 57th Regiment Native Infantry, holding the appointment of Second in Command of the 3rd Regiment of Infantry, Scindia's Contingent, are placed at the disposal of His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief, for Regimental duty.

No. 4576.

Lieutenant Colonel G. St. P. Lawrence, Political Agent in Meywar, has obtained leave of absence for one month, from the 1st to the 31st December next, or from such date as he may avail himself of it, under Section XI. of the Amended Rules, to visit Bombay, on private affairs.

J. P. GRANT,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of India.

No. 1912.

Orders by the Most Noble the Governor of Bengal.

Appointments.—The 14th October 1853.—Moulavy Nazeeroodeen Mahomed to be Sudder Ameen of Maldah, and to excise the special powers described in Clause 3, Section II. Regulation III. of 1821.

Moulavy Derasutoollah, Moonsiff of Nugwan, has been vested with the special powers described in Clause 3, Section II. Regulation III. of 1821.

The 19th October 1853.—Mr. S. F. Davis to be a Joint Magistrate and Deputy Collector of the Second Grade.

The 24th October 1853.—Baboo Greeschunder Ghose, Moonsiff of Sulkea, to be a Deputy Magistrate in the District of Howrah, with the special powers described in Clause 3, Section II. Regulation III. of 1821.

The 26th October 1853.—Dr. T. N. Macnamara to be Professor of Chemistry in the Medical College.

Mr. A. S. Harrison to be Principal of the Berhampore College.

Leave of Absence.—The 21st October 1853.—Mr. F. P. Strong, Civil Assistant Surgeon of the 24-Pergunnahs, for one month, under Section XI. of the Amended Absentee Rules.

The 24th October 1853.—Mr. C. Mackay, Principal Sudder Ameen of Furreedpore, for fifteen days, in excess of the Dusserah and Mohurrum vacations.

Pundit Govind Chunder Bidyarutten, Additional Principal Sudder Ameen of Chittagong, for twenty days, in excess of the Dusserah and Mohurrum vacations.

The 26th October 1853.—Mr. Welby Jackson, a Judge of the Court of Sudder Dewanny and Nizamut Adawlut, for one month, under Section XI. of the Amended Absentee Rules.

Baboo Russick Krishna Mullick Deputy Collector under Regulation IX. of 1833, attached to the Railway Department, for five days, under Medical certificate, from the 18th instant.

Notification.—The 7th October 1853.—The Most Noble the Governor of Bengal has been pleased to sanction the transfer of the following Pergunnahs in Jyntecah from the jurisdiction of

the Moonsiff of Paikool to that of the Moonsiff of Latoo:

Barowbag,	Chowra,
Chotool,	Faljoor,
Burdesh,	Molagool,
Bajraw,	Southbank,
Churcutta,	Puchimbag.

No. 1913.

Notification.—The 26th October 1853.—The Most Noble the Governor of Bengal having sanctioned the foundation of a College at Berhampore, in the District of Moorshedabad, it is hereby notified for general information, that the College will open for the admission of Pupils on the first of November 1853, and instruction will commence as soon after that date as possible.

All applicants will be admitted into the College without reference to religion or caste, provided they are within the prescribed limits as to age, and provided they agree to pay for their School Books, and to contribute a monthly sum towards the expense of their education. No boy whose age exceeds eight years shall be admitted, unless he can read correctly and with a good pronunciation the Second number of the English Reader of the School Book Society.

No boy whose age exceeds twelve years shall be admitted, unless he can read, parse, and explain any passage in the Fifth number of the English Reader of the School Book Society. He must also know the simple rules of Arithmetic; the form of the Earth, its great divisions, and their sub-divisions into countries; the names of the capitals and principal cities of each country, and of the principal mountains and rivers. He must be able to translate correctly from Bengallee or Hindustani into English, and from English into Bengallee or Hindustani, any passage from the Fifth number of the English Reader.

No boy shall be admitted whose age exceeds sixteen.

The course of study will be precisely the same as that pursued at the Hindoo College at Calcutta and the College of Mahomed Mohsin at Hooghly.

At the end of every year a general examination will take place, when Scholarships, of which eight Senior at 30 and 40 Rupees a month and twelve Junior at 8 Rupees a month are attached to the College, will be awarded to those students who are able to pass the requisite test, and prizes will be given to the more deserving boys in the lower classes.

The Governor of Bengal has also authorized the Establishment of Zillah Schools in the districts of Beerbhoom, Rungpore, Shahabad and Pubna, of which the first is already open, and the others will open for the admission of Pupils on the first of November 1853. To each of these Schools, as well as to the School already established at Bauleah, are attached four junior Scholarships of 8 Rupees a month each, tenable at the Central College at Berhampore, which, together with other prizes, will be awarded to the most successful pupils at each annual examination.

Sanction has also been given to the establishment on a similar footing of Zillah Schools in the under-mentioned districts, with Scholarships tenable at the Colleges specified opposite to each, viz.:

Schools.	*Colleges.*
Mymensing,	Dacca.
Furreedpore,	
Bogra,	
Burrisaul,	
Noakolly,	
Purneah,	Hooghly.
Balasore,	
Pooree,	

The course of study at these Schools will be precisely the same as that pursued in the School Society's School at Calcutta and in the Brunel School at Hooghly.

Local Committees have been formed at the several Stations above-mentioned, to whom Candidates for admission into the College or Schools at those places will apply.

By order of the Most Noble the Governor of Bengal,

CECIL BEADON,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

Order by the Government of the North-Western Provinces.

No. 2044 of 1853.

General Department,
Agra, the 22nd October 1853.

Leave of Absence.—Lieutenant P. Garforth, late Supervisor, Ganges Works, for 3 months, on private affairs from the 21st of April 1853.

By order of the Government, North-Western Provinces.

W. MUIR,
Secy. to Govt., N. W. P.

General Orders by the Most Noble the Governor General of India in Council.

Fort William, the 28th October 1853.

No. 865 *of* 1853.—The under-mentioned Officer is permitted to proceed to Europe on furlough:—

Lieutenant Toovey Archibald Corbett, of the 61st Regiment Native Infantry,	On private affairs, from Bombay.

No. 866 *of* 1853.—The Most Noble the Governor General of India in Council is pleased to to make the following promotions:—

Ordnance Commissariat Department.

Assistant Commissary Lieutenant Edward Evans (Veteran Establishment) to be Deputy Commissary,	From the 18th August 1853, *vice* Deputy Commissary Lieutenant W. Gibson (Veteran Establishment), deceased.
Deputy Assistant Commissary Lieutenant Thomas B. Ryley (Veteran Establishment) to be Assistant Commissary,	

No. 867 *of* 1853.—Assistant Surgeon J. E. Cathcart, M. D., of the 5th Native Infantry, is appointed to the Medical charge of the 4th Regiment Punjab Cavalry, *vice* Assistant Surgeon A. Fleming, appointed to a Civil charge.

or other person so deceased, and such remittance at the end of twelve months as aforesaid, shall be a discharge to such Secretary from all actions, suits and demands in respect of such surplus; provided always that the Registrars of Her Majesty's several Supreme Courts in India shall not, nor shall the Administrator General of either of the said Presidencies, be required or entitled to take out letters of administration with the will annexed, or otherwise in respect of such surplus.

XII. The provisions of this Act are intended to apply and shall apply only to European Officers and Seamen, and to other persons being Europeans belonging to the Indian Navy, who may die as aforesaid.

XIII. And whereas the Governor in Council of Bombay made certain Rules, bearing date 27th July 1844, to be observed on the decease of European Officers and European Seamen belonging to the Indian Naval Service, purporting to be Rules made in pursuance of the provisions of the said Act of the 3rd and 4 Victoria and the Articles of War thereto annexed, and which Rules have been acted upon, it is hereby enacted that the said Rules shall no longer be acted upon, but that all acts heretofore done within any part of the territories under the Government of the East India Company, which were authorized by the said Rules, shall be deemed to be valid, and that no act thereby authorized to be done shall be questioned in any court of justice in any part of the territories under the Government of the East India Company.

GEO. PLOWDEN,

Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of India.

Notifications, Appointments, &c.

No. 33.

FORT WILLIAM,

FINANCIAL DEPARTMENT,

THE 28TH OCTOBER 1853.

Notification.

NOTICE is hereby given, that no claim, under the Notifications dated 23rd of April and 6th of June last, by Proprietors of the Five per Cent. Sicca Loans, to transfer the amount of their Notes into the Four per Cent. Loan of 1842-43, will be recognized after the 28th of November next.

Published by order of the Most Noble the Governor General of India in Council,

C. ALLEN,

Secretary to the Govt. of India.

No. 34.

FORT WILLIAM,

FINANCIAL DEPARTMENT,

THE 28TH OCTOBER 1853.

Notification.

NOTICE is hereby given, that all the Notes of the Five per Cent. Loan, bearing date the 30th of June 1841, from No. 19001 to the last number on the Register, will be discharged at the General Treasury in Calcutta on the 30th of January next, on which date the Interest thereon will cease.

Proprietors of the Notes hereby advertised for payment are permitted, on or before 30th of January next, to transfer the amount of their Promissory Notes into a new Loan, which shall bear Interest at the rate of Four per Cent. per annum, payable half-yearly on the 31st of December and on the 30th of June.

Proprietors who may transfer their Promissory Notes into this new Loan, through the Government Agent, shall not be subjected to the payment of the Fees prescribed in the Rules of the Government Agency for transferring Notes from one Loan to another.

All Officers authorised to receive subscriptions to Government Loans are hereby required to receive applications in writing from individuals who may desire to transfer the amount of their loans into the new Four per Cent. Loan.

These applications, together with the Promissory Notes in reference to which they may have been received, shall, without fee or expense of any kind to the proprietor, be transmitted to the Deputy Accountant General at Fort William, who will forthwith cause an entry to be made on the face of the Note acknowledging the transfer, and giving the number of the Note on the Register of the new Loan.

This entry shall be deemed tantamount to the issue of a new Note bearing Interest at Four per Cent. per annum, payable half-yearly on 31st of December and the 30th of June, and shall be in the following form:

"No —— Of the Four per Cent. Loan of 1854-55,

By transfer.

"Interest is payable on this Note at the rate of 4 per Cent. per annum, by half-yearly instalments, on the "31st December and the 30th of June."

Prompt settlement of the Principal and Interest at the rate of Five per Cent. per annum to the date of advertised discharge, will be made with proprietors who may tender their Notes for transfer into the new Loan; provided, however, that the Principal only will be transferred, and that the Interest up to the 30th of January inclusive will be discharged in Cash, as well as anticipation Interest up to the 30th of June 1854.

It is further notified, that the Most Noble the Governor General in Council has, for the accommodation of proprietors who are not in India, authorized the Deputy Accountant General to allow the conditional transfer of their Notes to the new Four per Cent. Loan, on the application of agents or friends, leaving it optional with the proprietors to confirm the transfer or to require payment in cash: provided however that no notice disallowing the transfer will be received after six months from the present date.

The Promissory Notes of the new Loan will not be re-payable until after the expiration of three months from notice of payment duly advertized in the *Calcutta Gazette*, under the authority of the Governor General of India in Council.

Published by order of the Most Noble the Governor General of India in Council,

C. ALLEN,

Secy. to the Govt. of India.

No. 35.

FORT WILLIAM,

FINANCIAL DEPARTMENT,

THE 28TH OCTOBER 1853.

Notification.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Sub-Treasurers at Fort William, Fort St. George, and Bombay, the several Residents at Native Courts, and the several Collectors of Land Revenue under those Presidencies, as well as the Collectors and others in charge of Treasuries under the Supreme Government and the Government of the North-Western Provinces, have been authorized to receive, until further Orders, any sums of money in even hundreds, of not less than 500 of Company's Rupees, which may be tendered on loan to the East India Company, at an Interest of three and a half per centum per annum, subject to the provisions hereinafter specified.

All authorized public demands, including audited Bills for arrears of Salary and Bills of Exchange on the public Treasuries, these last being subject to a deduction at the rate of three and a half per centum per annum for the period they may have to run, will be received as Cash at par.

The Pay-masters of the Army under the several Presidencies are also authorized to transfer any demands which may be payable by them respectively to this Loan, and to grant drafts for the amounts, in Bengal and Madras on the Accountant General, and in Bombay on the Military Pay-master General, which drafts shall be received by those Officers in payment of Subscriptions to this Loan, on being tendered to them for that purpose.

The several public Officers authorized to receive subscriptions into this Loan, will grant acknowledgments, in the following form, for all sums received by them respectively:—

"I hereby acknowledge that A. B. has this day paid into the East India Company's Treasury the sum of
"Company's Rupees for which he is entitled to receive a Promissory
"Note bearing interest from the (28th February or 31st of August next as the case may be), of
"the tenor, and subject to the conditions of the Loan specified in the Advertisement published
"in the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 28th October, 1853."

The Deputy Accountant General at Fort William will, on the said acknowledgments being delivered, forthwith cause to be prepared and issued to the parties entitled thereto, Promissory Notes under the signature of the Secretary to the Government of India, in the following form:—

"FORT WILLIAM, THE 28TH FEBRUARY 1854.

"Promissory Note at three and a half per centum for Company's Rupees . The
"Governor General of India in Council does hereby acknowledge to have received from A. B. the sum of
"Company's Rupees as a Loan to the East India Company, and does hereby promise
"for and on behalf of the said Company to repay the said Loan, by paying the said sum of Company's Rupees
" to the said A. B. his Executors or Administrators, or his or their Order, on
"demand, at the General Treasury of Fort William, after the expiration of three months' Notice of payment
"to be given by the Governor General of India in Council in the *Calcutta Gazette*, and to pay the Interest
"accruing on the said sum of Company's Rupees at the rate of three and a half per
"centum per annum, by half-yearly payments at the General Treasury of Fort William, to the said A. B., his
"Executors or Administrators, until the expiration of three months after such notice of payment as aforesaid,
"when the amount of Interest due will be payable with the Principal, and (such notice being considered equi-
"valent to a tender of payment at the period appointed for the discharge of the Note) all further Interest shall
"cease.

Signed by the authority of the Governor General of India in Council,

"*Secretary to the Govt.*"

"*Accountant General's Office,*
"*Registered as No. of*"

The several Officers authorized to receive subscriptions, will, on application from the holders of acknowledgments, transmit them (free of every expense whatever) to the Deputy Accountant General at Fort William, to be exchanged for Promissory Notes bearing Interest from the 28th of February or 31st of August next ensuing after the date of subscription. The Interest accruing on the broken period of the half year, that may intervene between the date of subscription and the 28th of February or 31st August next ensuing, as the case may be, will be paid up at the time of granting the acknowledgment.

No. 868 *of* 1853.—The under-mentioned gentleman is admitted to the Service in conformity with his appointment by the Honorable the Court of Directors, as an Assistant Surgeon on this Establishment:

Medical Department.	*Date of Arrival at Fort William.*
Frederick James Chaldecott, M.D.,	23rd Oct. 1853.

No. 869 *of* 1853.—The under-mentioned Warrant Officer has returned to his duty on this Establishment, without prejudice to his rank, by permission of the Honorable the Court of Directors:—

	Date of Arrival at Fort William.
Sub-Conductor Alleyan Evanson Madras, of the Army Commissariat Department,	23rd October 1853.

No. 870 *of* 1853.—The under-mentioned Officer is permitted to proceed to Europe on furlough:—

Captain and Brevet Major Henry Marion Durand, of Engineers, Political Agent at Bhopal, for one year, from Bombay.	On urgent private affairs.

No. 871 *of* 1853.—Captain J. C. Scott, of the 20th Regiment Native Infantry, Assistant Commissary General, is allowed leave of absence for four months, to visit the Presidency, on Medical certificate, commencing from the date of his embarkation at Rangoon, *viz.*, the 8th October 1853.

No. 872 *of* 1853.—The services of Surgeon George Paxton, M. D., Officiating Civil Surgeon of Delhi, have been placed, in Orders in the Judicial Department, North Western Provinces, on the 18th October 1853, at the disposal of His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief.

No. 873 *of* 1853.—The leave of absence for four months, *viz.*, from 1st November 1853 to the 1st March 1854, to proceed to Calcutta on Medical certificate, granted by the Chief Commissioner in the Punjab to Ensign the Honorable E. V. Douglas, Adjutant 2nd or Hill Regiment, Sikh Local Infantry, preparatory to applying for leave to Sea on the same account, is confirmed.

No. 874 *of* 1853.—In order that Soldiers of Her Majesty's Service who may arrive at Calcutta for the purpose of proceeding to Australia on their discharge from the Service, may not henceforward become burthensome to the State, by drawing pay, although they perform no duty, for indefinite periods, during which they are obliged to await embarkation, owing to their not being in the first instance possessed of sufficient funds to defray the amount charged by Commanders of Vessels bound for Australia and other Colonies, in excess of the passage-money allowed by Government, the Most Noble the Governor General of India in Council is pleased, in concurrence with His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief, to fix *two months* as the maximum period for which any Soldier so circumstanced will be entitled to draw his pay from the date of arrival in Calcutta.

The Brigade Major Queen's Troops at the Presidency will, in all cases, on the expiration of this period, hand over the confirmed Parchment Certificate of discharge to every such Soldier, taking his receipt, and will report having done so to the Adjutant General of Her Majesty's Forces in India, for the information of His Excellency.

R. J. H. Birch, *Lieut.-Colonel,*
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of India,
Military Department.

No. 1772.

Notification.—The 4th October 1853.—With reference to the Notification, No. 1388, dated the 21st July last, which appeared in the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 23rd idem, the following despatch from the Hon'ble the Court of Directors, together with the letter referred to therein, is published for general information.

Public Department.

Our Governor General of India in Council.

No. 18 *of* 1853.—With reference to our Despatch in this Department, dated 24th May last, No. 30, we forward copy of a letter which has been addressed to Her Majesty's Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs by the French Ambassador, stating the decision which has been come to by the Government of His Imperial Majesty in regard to Foreign prohibited goods which may be sent to the Universal Exhibition to be held in Paris in May 1855, and we request that you will give the greatest possible publicity to the liberal intentions of the French Government, as stated in Count Walewski's letter.

We are &c.,
(Sd.) Russell Ellice,
,, J. Oliphant,
and other Directors.

London,
20th July 1853.

[Translation.]

London, the 22th of June 1855.

To the Right Hon'ble the Earl of Clarendon,
&c., &c., &c.

My Lord,

With reference to the Universal Exhibition which is to take place at Paris in 1855, several manufacturers have addressed the Minister of the Interior to know, first, whether articles of which the importation is prohibited in France will be admitted at the Exhibition, and secondly, whether on the close of the Exhibition, these articles will be admitted for home consumption, or whether they must be re-exported.

These two questions, my Lord, have received an answer in accordance with the enlightened views which induced the Government of His Majesty the Emperor to decree the Universal Exhibition of 1855. It has been consequently decided, not only that prohibited merchandize shall be admitted to the Exhibition, but also that, after it shall have closed, the exhibitors will have the option either to re-export the said merchandize free of duty, or to enter them for home consumption, on paying a duty of 30 per cent. *ad valorem.*

These conditions will be excluded in the general rules which are now under preparation, but in consequence of the opinions which appear to have

been already excited abroad as to the rules affecting prohibited merchandize destined for the Exhibition of Paris in 1855, I have been charged with the honor of informing your Excellency of the resolutions adopted in this respect by the Government of His Majesty the Emperor. Your Excellency will perhaps consider it advisable to give immediate information of this arrangement to the manufacturers and artizans who are subjects of Her Britannic Majesty.

I have the honor to be,

&c., &c.,

(Signed) A. WALEWSKI.

By order of the Most Noble the Governor of Bengal,

CECIL BEADON,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

Wellington Endowment.

THE COMMITTEE OF THE WELLINGTON ENDOWMENT beg to acknowledge the following Subscriptions for the Endowment of a College in honor of "the greatest Soldier that England ever saw."

The Most Noble the Governor General	Rs.	2,500
His Excellency Sir W. M. Gomm, K. C. B., Commander-in-Chief, E. I.	£	*200
Lieut.-Genl. Lord Fred. FitzClarence, G. C. H., Commander-in-Chief, Bombay	£	*100
Lieut.-Genl. Sir Richard Armstrong, K. C. B., Commander-in-Chief, Madras	£	*100
H. H. the Rajah of Nagpore ..	paid	10,000
The Survivors of the Troops of the Berar-Nagpore State, who fought in the Deccan Campaign of 1803, against General Wellesley ..	"	250
H. H. the Nawab of Rampore ..	"	5,000
H. H. the Maharajah Goolab Sing of Cashmere, through P. Melvill, Esq., C. S.,	"	5,000
H. H. the Rajah of Puttiala, through P. Melvill, Esq., C. S.,	"	4,000
His Majesty Mohamed Wajid Ali Shah Padshah, (king of Oude,) through Lieutenant-Colonel W. H. Sleeman, Resident of Lucknow	"	3,000
H. H. the Maharajah of Jodhpoor, through Sir H. M. Lawrence, K. C. B. ...	"	3,000
H. H. the Nawab of Tonk, through Sir H. M. Lawrence, K. C. B, ..	"	3,000
H. H. Maharaah Tackoojee Rao Holkar Bahadur, through R. N. C. Hamilton, Esq. C. S., ...	"	2,000
H. H. the Nawab Nazim of Bengal, ..	"	2,000
H. H. the Maharajah of Gwalior, through G. A. Bushby, Esq., C. S. ..	"	2,000
H. H. Maharajah Suwace Ram Singh, of Jyepore ..	"	2,000
The Minister to His Majesty the King of Oude through Lieut.-Col. W. H. Sleeman, ...	"	2,000
H. H. Maha Rana Suroop Singh, Ruler of Meywar, through Lieut-Col. G. St. P. Lawrence, ..	paid,	1,612-14
H. H. the Rajah of Aboowala, ... (Through P. Melvill, Esq., C. S.)	paid	1,500
H. H. the Rajah of Nabah, ...	"	1,000
H. H. the Rajah of Burdwan ..	"	1,500
H. H. Nirpat Sing, Rajah of Punnah, through G. A. Bushby, Esq., C. S. ..	"	1,500
H. H. the Rajah of Jheend, (Through P. Melvill, Esq., C. S.)	paid	1,100
The Chief of Malair, Kotla, (Meybook Allie Khan,) .. (Through P. Melvill, Esq., C. S.)	"	1,100
Delawur Alne Khan of Malair Kotla, ... (Through P. Melvill, Esq., C. S.)	"	1,000
H. H. the Rajah of Chirkary, through G. A. Bushby, Esq., C. S., ...	"	1,000
H. H. Maharajah Benaick Rao, of Terhowa, ditto, ..	"	1,000
Maharajah Gungadhar Rao, Rajah of Jhansi, ditto, ..	"	1,000
H. H. Bhaun Pertab, Rajah of Bejawur, ditto, ..	"	1,000
H. H. Pertab Sing, Rajah of Chutterpore, ditto, ..	"	1,000
H. H. the Maharajah of Kotah, through Sir H. M. Lawrence, K. C. B. ..	"	1,000
H. H. the Byza Bai, through R. N. C. Hamilton, Esq., C. S., ..	"	1,000
H. H. the Rajah of Furreedkote, through P. Melvill, Esq., C. S., ..	"	1,000
H. H. the Rao Rajah of Ulwur, through Sir H. M. Lawrence, K. C. B, ...	"	1,000
Lieut.-Colonel Sir H. M. Lawrence, K. C. B., Agent to the Governor Genl. for the States of Rajpootana, ..	"	1,000
Rajah Pertab Chand Singh, ...		1,000
Amount already advertised	Rs	1,34,249-9-11
Amount subscribed by Officers and Regiments of H. M.'s Service, payable in London	Rs.	30,412-4-6
Lieut-Col. Baldwin, 2nd Eur. Ben. Fusiliers,	paid	16
Major A. Barker, 1st Madras Fusiliers.	"	25
Babu Debnath Chowdhry, (Through Zemindar, Kalaroa, .. (Moulvee Abdool Hussun, ditto, ditto, .. (Luteef.)	"	50
Moonshee Hubbeebool (Moulvee Abdool Hussun, ditto, ditto, .. (Luteef.)	"	25

* To be paid in England.

The Bank of Bengal, the Oriental Bank, and the Agra and United Service Bank, with its branches at Agra, Lahore, Madras and Bombay, will receive Subscriptions, or they can be transmitted direct to the Secretary in Calcutta.

All Subscriptions from the Mofussil are to be sent free of charge, by Officers in charge of Local Treasuries.

Subscriptions can be paid in whole or in part, to suit the convenience of Subscribers, and at any time within the next twelve months.

(By order of the Wellington Endowment Committee,)

FREDERICK J. MOUAT,
Calcutta, 29th October 1853. *Secretary.*

Notification.

BILLS at par on the Public Treasuries of the under-mentioned Districts may be had on application to the Accountant to the Government of Bengal :—

Districts.	*Amount available on this date.*	
Balasore, ...	50,000	
Bograh, ...	50,000	
Bullooah, ...	3,00,000	
Burdwan, ...	1,80,000	
Cuttack, ...	2,50,000	
Dinagepore, ...	60,000	at 6 annas premium.
Jessore, ...	3,00,000	

Maldah, ...	20,000	at 4 annas premium.
Midnapore, ...	50,000	
Pubna, ...	50,000	
Purneah, ...	90,000	
Sylhet, ...	50,000	
Tipperah, ...	2,50,000	

C. HUGH LUSHINGTON,
Offg. Accountant to the Govt. of Bengal.

Accountant's Office, Revenue Department, The 25th Oct. 1853.

CIVIL AUDITOR'S OFFICE.

Fort William, the 26th October 1853.

NOTICE.—All Officers of the respective Departments, Civil, Military, or Marine, who may have salary or other Bills to submit to the Office of the Civil Auditor, are requested to have them prepared on a half or a full sheet of foolscap paper, as circumstances may admit, and to have the vouchers and certificates in support of them entered, when practicable, at the foot or on the back of the Bills, instead of being separately attached to them. Inattention to this notice will occasion the Bills to be returned unaudited.

W. P. PALMER,
Civil Auditor.

MEDICAL COLLEGE.

19TH YEAR—SESSION 1853-54.

WINTER TERM.

THE Second Division of the Session will commence on Tuesday, the 1st November 1853, and continue until the 15th of March 1854, when Lectures will be delivered on the following subjects:

ENGLISH CLASS.

ANATOMY AND PHYSIOLOGY, ...	By *H. Walker, Esq.*, ...	Daily, except Tuesdays, from 10 to 11 A. M.
DESCRIPTIVE AND SURGICAL ANATOMY, ...	By *Allan Webb, Esq., M. D.*,	Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays, from 2 to 3 P. M.
DISSECTIONS, ...		Daily, from 11 A. M. to 2 P. M.
CHEMISTRY, ...	By *F. N. Macnamara, Esq., M. D.*,	Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays, from 3 to 4 P. M.
PRACTICAL AND OPERATIVE SURGERY, ...	By *R. O'Shaughnessy, Esq.*, ...	Mondays and Wednesdays, from 8½ to 9½ A. M.

BENGALI AND HINDUSTANI CLASSES.

PUNDIT MADUSUDEN GUPTA will Lecture on Anatomy, and direct the dissections of the classes under the superintendence of the Professors of Anatomy.

Sub-Assistant Surgeon SIBCHUNDER KURMOKAR will teach Materia Medica.

Sub-Assistant Surgeon PHOSUNNO COOMAR MITTER will teach Medicine.

Sub-Assistant Surgeon RAM NARAIN DOSS will teach Surgery.

HOSPITAL ATTENDANCE.

HOSPITAL VISITS, ...	Daily from 7 A. M.
OUT-DOOR DISPENSARY, ...	From 6 to 11 A. M., and from 5 to 6 P. M., daily.

Clinical Instruction in the Hospital and Out-Door Dispensary daily.

(By Order,)

FRED. J. MOUAT, M. D.,
Secretary.

MEDICAL COLLEGE,
The 23rd October 1853.

THE following Notice regarding two Light-houses, situated the one on the Island of Corregidor and the other on Pulo Caballo, both in the mouth of the Bay of Manila, is published for general information, and Commanders of Vessels are informed that copies of the same can be had on application to the Master Attendant.

By order of the Superintendent of Marine,

H. HOWE, *Secretary.*

FORT WILLIAM,
The 23rd July 1853.

Supreme Government of the Philippines.

NOTICE TO NAVIGATORS.

From the night of the 1st February ensuing, there will be exhibited two Lights on the prismatic lenticular principle, situated, the one on the Island of Corregidor and the other on Pulo Caballo, both in the Entrance of the Bay of this Capital, the order and position of which are as follows :—

REVOLVING LIGHT OF THE 2ND ORDER ON THE SUMMIT OF THE ISLAND OF CORREGIDOR.

GEOGRAPHICAL SITUATION.

Latitude observed from the Tower	14°	23′	5″	N.
Eastern Longitude from the Meridian of Cadiz, (1)	120°	51′	8″	

PARTICULARS OF THE LIGHT-HOUSE.

1. Elevation of the ground above the level of the Sea, barometrically and geometrically ascertained, 644 Burgos or Castilian feet. Elevation of the centre of the light above the ground, 55 feet, ditto, ... } Elevation of the light above the level of the Sea 699 Burgos feet (2).
2. The light is a flashing one, of a white or brilliant light, with eclipses of a minute's interval.
3. The distance to which the light refracts is stated according to the report of M. Lepaute, the Engineer, and is nautical miles, ... 40
4. According to the same Engineer, the power of the light is equal to that of 3,600 Carcel Lamps, or 24,000 ordinary wax candles, ...

OBSERVATIONS OR BEARINGS TAKEN FROM THE LIGHT HOUSE TO THE MOST CONSPICUOUS POINTS WITHIN AND OUTSIDE OF THE BAY.

1ST QUADRANT OF THE COMPASS.

The point of Cacaben,	N.	10°	E.
Point Locani,	N.	17°	E.
The Tower of the Cathedral of Manila,	N.	56°	E.
Point of Sangley de Cavite,	N.	72°	E.
The centre of St. Nicholas' Shoal,	N.	75°	E.
Point Buri in the Island of Corregidor,	N.	85°	E.

2ND QUADRANT.

Eastern Point and Telegraph of Pulo Caballo,	S.	76°	E.
The little Island of Fraile,	S.	33°	E.
Point Carunno on the Coast of Marigondon,	S.	30°	E.
The little Island of Carabao,	S.	19°	E.
Point Limbones,	S.	6°	E.

OUTSIDE OF THE BAY.

3RD QUADRANT.

Point of Fuegos,	S.	3°	W.
Centre of the Island of Fortun, (3) in one with Point Calavite in Mindoro and the Eastern point of the Island of Golo, which are distant from the Light-House as follows—Fortun 20 miles, Golo 4½ and Point Calavite 57 Miles, bearing,	S.	15°	W.
Centre of the high land of the Island of Amil 39 Miles,	S.	23°	W.
The mouth of the Strait which is formed by the Islands of Luban and Cabras, (4) which lies N. W. of the former, and 41 Miles from the Light-House,	S.	36°	W.
The flat-topped Monje Rock (5) at 8 Miles from the Light-House,	S.	86°	W.

4TH QUADRANT.

The points of Hornos and Lechones (6) in one, bearing,	N.	72°	W.
The Tower of the Church of Mariveles, in the interior of the Port of the same name,	N.	55°	W.
Point of St. Miguel,	N.	52°	W.

Superior Gobierno de Filipinas.

AVISO Á LOS NAVEGANTES.

Desde la noche del 1° de Febrero entrante empezarán á funcionar dos fanales del sistema prismático lenticular colocados el uno en la ISLA DEL CORREGIDOR, *y el otro en* PULO CABALLO, *ambos en la boca de la bahia de esta Capital y cuyo órden y situacion son las siguientes :*

FANAL GIRATORIO DE 2o. ORDEN EN LA CUMBRE DE LA ISLA DEL CORREGIDOR.

SITUACION GEOGRAFICA.

Latitud observada en la torre,	14°	23′	5″	N.
Longitud oriental del meridiano de Cádiz,	120°	51′	8″	

DETALLES DEL FANAL.

1°. Elevacion del terreno sobre el nivel del mar, determinada barométrica y geométricamente, 644 pies de Burgos ó Castellanos. Elevacion del centro de la luz sobre el terreno, ... 55 id., ... } Elevacion de la luz sobre el nivel del mar 699 pies de Burgos.
2°. El fanal es de destellos ó resplandores de luz blanca ó brillante con eclipses de minuto en minuto.
3°. El alcance de la luz por su fuerza de refulgencia es con arreglo á informe del constructor Mr. Lepaute de millas náuticas, ... 40
4°. Segun el mismo constructor la fuerza de la luz equivale á 3,600 lámparas de cárcel, ó sean 24,000 bugías ordinarias.

MARCACIONES Ó ARRUMBAMIENTOS TOMADOS DESDE EL FARO A LOS PUNTOS MAS NOTABLES HACIA EL INTERIOR Y FUERA DE LA BAHIA.

1er. CUADRANTE.

La punta de Cacaben al,	N.	10°	E.
Punta Locani,	N.	17°	E.
La torre de la Catedral de Manila,	N.	66°	E.
Punta de Sangley de Cavite,	N.	72°	E.
El centro del bajo de S. Nicolás,	N.	75°	E.
La punta Buri en la isla del Corregidor,	N.	85°	E.

2o. CUADRANTE.

Punta oriental y telégrafo de Pulo Caballo,	S.	76°	E.
El islote Fraile,	S.	33°	E.
Punta Carunno en la Costa de Marigondon,	S.	30°	E.
Islote Carabao,	S.	19°	E.
Punta de Limbones,	S.	6°	E.

FUERA DE BAHIA.

3er. CUADRANTE.

Punta de Fuegos,	S.	3°	O.
Mediania del islote Fortun enfilado con la punta de Calavite en Mindoro y la punta Oriental de la isla de Golo que distan del faro, Fortun 20 millas, Golo 4½ y punta Calavite 57 millas, al,	S.	15°	O.
Mediania del cerro de la isla de Amil á 39 millas al,	S.	23°	O.
El frente del Estrecho que forman la isla de Luban y la de Cabras que está al N. O. de la primera y á 41 millas del faro al,	S.	36°	O.

CUARTO CUADRANTE.

La punta de Hornos y la de Lechones corren en una enfilacion al,	N.	72°	O.
La torre de la Iglesia de Mariveles en lo interior del puerto de este nombre,	N.	56°	O.
La punta de S. Miguel,	N.	52°	O.

LIGHT OF THE 4TH ORDER WITH A FIXED LIGHT ON THE SMALL ISLAND CALLED PULO CABALLO.

Pulo Caballo is a small Island, which is steep and of little extent, and is distant from the Light-House of the Island Corregidor less than a league; it lies to the South of the Eastern and inner extreme of that Island, at less than two miles distance, over the whole space of which extends a dangerous Shoal, only passable by fishermen. On Pulo Caballo has been erected another Light House of the 4th order, likewise built by M. Lepaute of Paris, to warn Vessels of the danger of attempting to pass, or of being drifted, between the Islands of Corregidor and Pulo Caballo.

PARTICULARS OF THE LIGHT-HOUSE OF PULO CABALLO.

1. Elevation of the ground above the level of the Sea in Burgos feet. 444
   Elevation of the Light-House above the ground, ... 6
   Total Elevation, (7)..... 450
2. The power of this Light extends to 9 Miles only according to M. Lepaute.
3. The Arc of the Circle, illuminated by this Light is 200 degrees from East to West, Southerly, whence it follows that Ships gradually lose the light of this additional Light-House when within Pulo Caballo in the interior of the Bay, and they will have to steer by the light of the great Light-house of Corregidor, until close to the anchoring ground of the City of Manilla in front of the River.
4. Bearing S. 15° E. from Pulo Caballo is the small Island of Fraile at 3¼ Miles, and the small Light will enable Vessels to pass in dark nights in mid-channel with safety.
5. Both Pulo Caballo as well as the Island of Fraile can be approached with the safety to within ½ a Mile; it is however better to keep in mid-channel considering the great force of the set of the tides.

OBSERVATIONS AND BEARINGS TAKEN FROM THE SMALL LIGHT-HOUSE OF PULO CABALLO OF VARIOUS REMARKABLE POINTS WITHIN AND OUTSIDE OF THE BAY.

The small Island of Fraile, ...	S. 15°	E.
Point, Limbones, ...	South,	
Island of Carabao, ...	S. 3°	W.
Point of Fuegos, ...	S. 12°	W.
Small Island of Fortun, ...	S. 21°	W.
Southern Point of Corregidor in one with the flat topped rock of Monja, ...	N. 83°	W.

REMARKS.

All the foregoing bearings are true bearings, and the few Minutes of Easterly variation of the Needle that exist on this Coast, are very insignificant.

(Signed) ANTONIO DE URBIZTONDO.

MANILA, 18th January 1853.

FANAL DE CUARTO ORDEN Y LUZ FIJA EN EL ISLOTE NOMBRADO PULO CABALLO.

Pulo Caballo es un islote muy escarpado y de corta estension, que dista del fanal de la isla del Corregidor menos de una legua, y yace al Sur del estremo oriental é interior de dicha isla á menos de 2 millas advirtiendo que por tal espacio se prolonga un bajio peligroso, que no dá paso mas que á pescaderos. En este Pulo Caballo se establece otro fanal de 4°. órden construido tambien por Mr. Lepaute de Paris para resguardar á los buques del peligro de escrontre la isla del Corregidor y Pulo Caballo.

INCIDENTES DEL FANAL DE PULO CABALLO.

1°. Elevacion del terreno sobre el nivel del mar en pies de Burgos, ... 444
   Elevacion del fanal sobre el terreno en su pedestal, ... 6
   Elevacion total, ... 450
2°. La fuerza de refulgencia de la luz de este faro solo es de 9 millians segun Mr. Lepaute.
3°. El arco de circulo iluminado que presenta este fanal es de 200 grados y se colocará de Este á Oeste dando frente al Sur, resultando por tanto que los buques llegarán á perder de vista la luz de este fanal adicional, al estar dentro de Pulo Caballo en la parte interior de la bahia, y seguirán con el fanal grande del Corregidor, hasta la inmediacion del fondeadero de la ciudad de Manilla frente al rio.
4°. Al S. 15 E. de Pulo Caballo está el islote Fraile á 3¼ millas, y el fanal pequeño servirá tambien para pronosticar en noches oscuras tal distancia con seguridad.
5°. Tanto Pulo Caballo como el islote Fraile se pueden atracar con seguridad hasta ½ milla de distancia; pero es mejor promediarla en resguardo de la mucha fuerza que suelen tener las corrientes de marea.

ARRUMBAMIENTOS O MARCACIONES TOMADAS DESDE EL FANAL PEQUEÑO DE PULO CABALLO A VARIOS PUNTOS NOTABLES HACIA INTERIOR Y FUERA DE BAHIA.

El islote Fraile, ...	S. 15°	E.
Punta Limbones, ...	Sur.	
Isla Carabao, ...	S. 3°	O.
Punta de Fuegos, ...	S. 12°	O.
Islote Fortun, ...	S. 21°	O.
La punta Sur del Corregidor enfilada con el mogote Monja, ...	N. 83°	O.

NOTA.

Todos los rumbos espresados son verdaderos, pues son insignificantes los pocos minutos de variacion magnética de la aguja al N. E. que hay en esta Costa.

ANTONIO DE URBIZTONDO.

MANILA, 18 de Enero de 1853.

Published for general information,

By order of the Superintendent of Marine,

H. HOWE,
Secretary to the Supt. of Marine.

FORT WILLIAM:
Marine Supdt.'s Office,
The 23rd July 1853.

The following Notes which refer to the bracketted numbers in the above Notice, will be found useful to English Navigators, as expressing readily what they could only find by references to Horsburgh and other works.

(1.) 120° 51' 8" from Cadiz, 120° 34' E. Longitude from Greenwich. (2.) 648 English feet. (3.) Fortune Island, Horsburgh. (4.) Goat Island Horsburgh. (5.) Nun or Haycock, Horsburgh. (6.) *Lechones* (Little Pigs) the Puercos or Hogs, of Horsburgh. (7.) 419.7 English Feet.

Notice.

THE General Treasury will be closed on Monday the 31st instant, and Tuesday the 1st and Thursday the 3rd proximo, on account of the Hindoo holidays Kalee Poojah and Bhroteesditiah.

J. I. HARVEY,
Sub-Treasurer.

General Treasury, the 21st October 1853.

Notice.

THE General Treasury will be closed on Wednesday the 9th and Thursday the 10th proximo, on account of the Hindoo holidays, Juggodhatree Poojah, and also Monday the 14th and Tuesday the 15th proximo, on account of the Kartick Poojah.

J. I. HARVEY,
Sub-Treasurer.

General Treasury, the 28th October 1853.

Notice.

SEALED Tenders, from Professional Builders only, will be received by the Officiating Civil Architect, in his Office in Fort William up to 3 P. M. on Monday, the 31st October 1853.,

For providing improved accommodation for the Cavalry and Infantry Guards on duty at Government House, Calcutta; also, for concentrating Guards and Cavalry Horses in one building, and the whole of the Staff Officers' Horses and other Horses in a corresponding building.

Specification and further information to be obtained from the Civil Architect's Office in Fort William.

Time for execution (6) six months.

A deposit in cash of (100) one hundred Rupees is required with each tender.

W. ABERCROMBIE, *Major,*
Offg. Civil Architect.

Memorandum.

Town Major's Office,
Fort William, The 28th October 1853.

THE NEW SORTIE, leading from the Plassey Gate to the South-east end of the Old Course, will be opened to the Public, as an entrance into the Garrison for Carriages, from Sunday next, the 6th proximo.

From the above date, the CHOWRINGHEE SORTIE of the Fort will be reserved available for the exit of Carriages from the Garrison, instead of the entrance as at present.

A. SPENS, *Lieut.-Colonel,*
Officiating Town Major.

NOTICE,—Mean Time was this day shown to the Shipping in the River, from the Semaphore Tower in the Fort, one and a quarter Seconds (1¼s.) before Mean Noon.

A. SPENS, *Lieut.-Colonel,*
Officiating Town Major.

Fort William, 25th October 1853.

NOTICE.—Mean Time was this day shown to the Shipping in the River, from the Semaphore Tower in the Fort, half a Second (½s.) before Mean Noon.

A. SPENS, *Lieut.-Colonel,*
Officiating Town Major.

Fort William, 26th October 1853.

Sheriff's Sale, Calcutta, 29th October 1853.

NOTICE is hereby given, that on Thursday the twenty-fourth day of November next, precisely at the hour of 12 o'clock at noon, the Sheriff of Calcutta will put up to Public Sale, at the Lower Verandah of the Court-House, near the entrance into the Sheriff's Office by virtue of a writ of Venditioni Exponas in his hands against the Effects of Sreemutty Bistoosoondery Dabee.

1. The Right, Title and Interest of Sreemutty Bistoosoondery Dabee of, in, and to an Upper-roomed Brick-built Messuage, Tenement or Dwelling-House, with a piece or parcel of Land thereunto belonging, containing by estimation four biggahs, more or less, situate, lying and being at a place called Doorgachurn Mookerjee's Street, in Baug Bazar in Calcutta, and butted and bounded as follows: (that is to say,) on the South by Doorgachurn Mookerjee's Street, on the North by a House and Land of the said Sreemutty Bistoosoondery Dabee, on the East by a House and Land of Ramtonoo Mullick, and on the West by Tenanted Land of Comul Takoorany.

2. Also the Right, Title and Interest of the said Sreemutty Bistoosoondery Dabee, of, in, and to an Upper-roomed Brick-built Messuage, Tenement or Katcharry Battee, with a piece or parcel of Land thereunto belonging, containing by estimation two biggahs, more or less, situate, lying and being at Coner, in Pergunnah Habalesohur, in the Zillah of Twenty-four Pergunnahs.

3. Also the Right, Title and Interest of the said Sreemutty Bistoosoondery Dabee, of, in, and to a Talook called Kismut Hadjeenagore, situate lying and being in Pergunnah Habalesohur and in the Zillah aforesaid, paying Government Revenue of Co.'s Rs. 149-13.

4. Also the Right, Title and Interest of the said Sreemutty Bistoosoondery Dabee, of, in, and to another Talook called Ghosaul Battee, situate, lying and being at the same place, paying Government Revenue of Co.'s Rs. 37-5-5.

5. Also the Right, Title and Interest of the said Sreemutty Bistoosoondery Dabee, of, in, and to another Talook called Kismut Koocrtoah, situate, lying and being at the same place, paying Government Revenue of Co.'s Rs. 10-5-6.

6. Also the Right, Title and Interest of the said Sreemutty Bistoosoondery Dabee, of, in, and to another Talook called Kismut Soaressur Goree, situate, lying, and being at the same place, paying Government Revenue of Company's Rupees 6-10-2.

7. Also the Right, Title and Interest, of the said Sreemutty Bistoosoondery Dabee, of, in, and to another Talook called Dasra Soaressur Goree, situate, lying, and being at the same place, paying Government Revenue of Company's Rupees 2-10-11.

8. Also the Right, Title and Interest of the said Sreemutty Bistoosoondery Dabee, of, in, and to another Talook called Jora Dawool, situate, lying, and being at the same place, paying Government Revenue of Company's Rupees 7-15-10.

9. Also the Right, Title and Interest of the said Sreemutty Bistoosoondery Dabee, of, in, and to another Talook called Dasra Jora Dawool, situate, lying, and being at the same place, paying Government Revenue of Company's Rupees 7-5.

10. Also the Right, Title and Interest of the said Sreemutty Bistoosoondery Dabee, of, in, and to another Talook called Kismut Nundun Batty, situate, lying, and being at the same place, paying Government Revenue of Company's Rupees 7-12-3.

11. Also the Right, Title and Interest of the said Sreemutty Bistoosoondery Dabee, of, in, and to another Talook called Dasra Nundun Battee, situate, lying, and being at the same place, paying Government Revenue of Company's Rupees 1-2-9.

12. Also the Right, Title and Interest of the said Sreemutty Bistoosoondery Dabee, of, in, and to another Talook called Kismut Courbattee, situate, lying and being at the same place, paying Government Revenue of Company's Rupees 112-10-8.

13. Also the Right, Title and Interest of the said Sreemutty Bistoosoondery Dabee, of, in, and to another Talook called Coomur Hutto, situate, lying and being at the same place, paying Government Revenue of Company's Rupees 2-13-4.

14. Also the Right, Title and Interest of the said Sreemutty Bistoosoondery Dabee, of, in, and to another Talook called Doorgabattee, situate, lying, and being at the same place, paying Government Revenue of Company's Rupees 8-11-2.

15. Also the Right, Title, and Interest of the said Sreemutty Bistoosoondery Dabee, of, in, and to another Talook called Gobind Battee, situate, lying and being at the same place, paying Government Revenue of Co.'s Rs. 8-8-10.

16. Also the Right, Title, and Interest of the said Sreemutty Bistoosoondery Dabee, of in, and to another Talook called Puttee Barooleah, situate, lying and being at the same place.

17. And also the Right, Title, and Interest of the said Sreemutty Bistoosoondery Dabee, of, in, and to another Talook called Kismut Goturbottee, situate lying and being at the same place.

The Conditions of Sale may be known by applying at the Sheriff's Office

F. Bellairs,
Sheriff.

28th October, 1853.

Catherine *alias* Manee Bibee, vs. Maharajah Nreepaindrokistno Behadoor, } PURSUANT to an Order of the Supreme Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal, made in this cause on the Eleventh day of July 1853, the Creditors, Legatees and Annuitants of Raja Jaudubendrokistno Behadoor, deceased, late of Saba Bazar in the Town of Calcutta, who died on or about the 21st day of March 1853, are hereby required to come in and prove their respective Debts, Legacies and Annuities before John Cochrane, Esquire, the Acting Master of the said Court, at his Office in the Court-House, on or before the 28th day of November next, or in default thereof they will be peremptorily excluded from the benefit of the said order.

John Cochrane,
Acting Master.

Smoult, *Plaintiff's Attorney.*

Calcutta:
Supreme Court, Master's Office,
The 27th October 1853.

General Post Office Notifications.

Export Overland Mail viâ Southampton and Marseilles, per P and O. Co.'s Steamer "Bombay," direct from Calcutta.

NOTICE is hereby given, for general information, that the Mails for Suez and the intermediate Ports, (Madras, Ceylon, Aden, Penang, Singapore and Hong-Kong,) intended for transmission by the Peninsular and Oriental Company's Steam-vessel *Bombay*, will be closed at this Office on Friday, the 4th proximo.

No after-Packet will be made up for the above vessel.

J. R. Burlton Bennett,
Deputy Post-master General, in Charge.

Calcutta, General Post Office,
The 20th October 1853.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Mails for Penang, Singapore and Hong-Kong, for transmission per Steamer *Pekin*, will be closed at this Office on Monday, the 31st instant.

J. R. Burlton Bennett,
Deputy Post-master General, in Charge.

Fort William,
General Post Office,
The 28th October 1853.

The Public are informed, that the Overland Expresses between Bombay and Calcutta will be discontinued from this date.

J. R. Burlton Bennett,
Deputy Post-master General, in Charge.

Calcutta,
General Post Office,
The 31st August 1853.

LIST of Remaining Letters and Parcels Unclaimed which accumulated from the Months of January to March 1853.

R.

Robson, Esq James—No 1, Fancy Lane, Calcutta.
Riley, Esq J (2 letters) Chittagong.
Roe, Esq R J—care of Messrs Cockerell and Co, Calcutta, Bengal.
Rolland, Dr P—Kotah.
Robertson, Esq Graham—Calcutta.
Richards, Esq C—16th Regt N I, Benares.
Richards, Esq W N L—Calcutta.
Rice, Esq T B—Park Street, Calcutta.
Robertson, Mr J P—care of Mr J M D'Cruz, Civil Auditor's Office, Calcutta.
Rozario, Esq D—Jessore.
Russell, Mrs W A—Rungpore.
Richards the Misses—Mirzapore.
Rielly, Miss—in care of Mrs Radcliff, Noacolly.
Ross, Mary—Calcutta.
Rose, Mrs Eliza—Waterloo Street, Calcutta.
Ridgway, Mrs A—Calcutta.
Robinson, Mrs E—Tank Cottage, Kidderpore, near Calcutta.
Robertson, Mrs—Proceeding by Dâk to Benares.
Randle, Miss M B—Care of Miss M DeCruze, Chandernagore.
Rayneau, Esq A—Commercolly.
Rayneau, Esq James—Commercolly.
Ross, Mr—Inspector Railway, Chaundernagore.
Reed, Esq W—Kapalee Bagaun, Moochee Parah.
Rozario, A D—Puddopooker, Bany Bagan, Farm Intally, 24-Pergunnahs, Calcutta.
Roberts, Mr R—Calcutta Docks, Calcutta.
Ryan, Mr C E—Care of L L Rousseau, Esq., No 11, Meredith's Lane, Calcutta.
Ricketts, Esq W B—Furreedpore.
Rose, Esq C G—Bogwangollah.
Ricketts, Esq G H M—C S Nuddea.
Russel, Mr Charles Henry—care of Russel, Esq, Purneah.
Rippett, William—to be left at the Post Office, till called for, Calcutta.
Rickett, Esq G H—care of Mr O. Toogood, Midnapore.
Rose, Mr John—Inspector of Police, Toltollah Station, Calcutta.
Ross, Dr—Suptdg Surgn H E I Co.'s Service, Delhi *viâ* Bombay.
Ross Mrs—care of Dr A Ross, Post Office, Calcutta.
Robertson, Esq J—Rangapaunee, Purneah.
Reid, Esq A—Civil Service, Calcutta.
Ross, Mrs A—Delhie.
Ryan, Serjt Augustus—in care of Timothy Carroll, Private Soldier, No 2663, 8th Regt, 3rd Co, Bengal, East Indies.
Ryan John—Fort William, Calcutta.
Rostin, Messrs Wm—Calcutta.
Rozario, Miss O F—Calcutta.
Riffopulo Miss Demetrio—Calcutta.
Riondet, Monsr—Calcutta.
Rutton Bhugut—Bow Bazar, Calcutta.
Ramchand Jemadar—Care of Mr Thompson, Tank Square, Calcutta.
Rajnarain, Ghose Esq—Calcutta.
Rambjebun Bose (3 letters)—Calcutta.
Rouse, Alfred—On Board the Ship "Aboukeer," Calcutta, or elsewhere.
Riordon, James—On Board the Ship "Andor" at Calcutta.
Roberts, Mr L W—Ship "Blenheim."
Ruff, Mr A V—Chief Officer of the "Harvest Home."
Roebuck, Joseph—Ship "Jane Spratt."
Rozo, Monsr Commandant le Trois Mats Francais la "Marie Amelie."

Rosse, Monsieur—Capt Lt trois Mate le Rem.
Roelssma, A T—Boatsman Barque "Mary Halegonda."
Roull, Monsr (2 letters)—Capitaine du Navire "le Pecard."
Richards, Mr Henry—Ship "Maria Soumee."
Rumens, Wm—Ship "Norton."

(To be continued.)

J. R. BURLTON BENNETT,
Deputy Post-master General, in charge.

Fort William:
General Post Office,
29th October 1853.

Court for the Relief of Insolvent Debtors at Calcutta.

In the matter of William Henry Beaumont, of Mullungah, in Calcutta, Watchmaker, an Insolvent.

On Wednesday, the 19th day of October instant, It was ordered, that the hearing in this matter shall be on the 3rd day of December next, and that the said Insolvent do then attend to be examined by the said Court

Biddle and Sherington, *Attornies.*

Chief Clerk's Office, 24th October 1853.

In the matter of Bebee Peary Khannum, Mahomedan, an Inhabitant of Collingah in Calcutta, and Insolvent.

On Saturday, the 22nd day of October instant, it was ordered that that the hearing in this matter shall be on the 3rd day of December next, and that the said Insolvent do then attend to be examined by the said Court.

In the matter of Bebee Peary Khannum, Mahomedan, an Inhabitant of Collingah, in Calcutta, an Insolvent.

Notice, that the petition of the said Insolvent seeking the benefit of the Act XI. Vic. Cap. XXI was filed in the Office of the Chief Clerk on the 22nd day of October instant, and by an order of the same date the Estate and Effects of the said Insolvent were vested in the Official Assignee.

Insolvent in person.

In the matter of William Bell, late of Esplanade Row in Calcutta, Saddle, Harness, Boot and Shoe-maker, but at present a prisoner confined in the Common Gaol of Calcutta, an Insolvent.

Notice, that an application for an *ad interim* protection order has been this day made by the said Insolvent, and that such petition will be heard and disposed of by the Acting Commissioner of the Insolvent Court, on Friday, the 4th day of November next, at the hour of 10 o'clock in the forenoon.

N.B. "*Any Creditor of the said Insolvent desirous "of opposing such application do appear before the "said Court at the time and place aforesaid.*"

Carruthers, *Attorney.*

In the matter of William Holland, late carrying on business as an Indigo Planter and Manufacturer, in copartnership with Baboo Muttyloll Seal, at the Cheynpore Factories, Shahabad, in the Province of Behar, subsequently carrying on the same business as proprietor of that concern, more recently manager of the Boychmprah Indigo Concern, in the District of Monghyr, in the Province of Behar, and at present without employment, residing at Sooterkin's Lane in Calcutta, an Insolvent.

On Tuesday, the 25th day of October instant, it was ordered that the hearing in this matter shall be on the 3rd day of December next, and that the said Insolvent do then attend to be examined by the said Court.

In the matter of William Holland, late carrying on business as an Indigo Planter and Manufacturer in copartnership with Baboo Muttyloll Seal, at the Cheynpore Factories, Shahabad, in the Province of Behar, subsequently carrying on the same business as proprietor of that concern, more recently manager of the Boychuprah Indigo concern in the District of Monghyr, in the Province of Behar, and at present without employment, residing at Sooterkin's Lane, in Calcutta, an Insolvent.

Notice, that the petition of the said Insolvent seeking the benefit of the Act XI. Vic. Cap. XXI. was filed in the Office of the Chief Clerk on the 25th day of October instant, and by an order of the same date the Estate and Effects of the said Insolvent were vested in the Official Assignee.

Robertson, *Attorney.*
Chief Clerk's Office, 28th October 1853.

Notice.

THE interest and responsibility of Mr. August Kaufmann ceased in our firm on the 30th April last.

WIENHOLT BROTHERS & Co.
Calcutta, 20th October 1853.

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250 Rupees Reward.

LOST OR STOLEN.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Public are hereby cautioned against purchasing or negociating or advancing any sum or sums of money or making use of the under-mentioned two several Four per Cent. Government Securities which belong to Takoordoss Gossain and Ramdoss Gossain, both of Serampore in the Zillah of Hooghly and also of Pathooria Ghattah in Calcutta, as the same were lost or stolen yesterday the 27th instant; any person restoring the said Government Papers to Baboo Takoordoss Gossain at the Commissariat Office, or to Mr. William Thompson, Attorney-at-Law, No. 8 Hare Street, will receive the above reward:

Two of 4 per Cent. Government Promissory Notes, No. 10162 of 7390 of 1835-36, dated the 31st March 1836, for Co.'s Rs. 27,000, which said paper stands in the name of Takoordoss Gossain and Ramdoss Gossain.

No. 10288 of 1835-36, dated the 31st March 1836, for Co.'s Rs. 7,900, which said last mentioned paper stands in the name of Ramdoss Gossain.

LOST.—Second Halves of two Bank of Bengal Notes, Nos. 21751 and 22487, for Company's Rupees 15 each, payment of which has been stopped at the Bank.

LOST.—Following Halves of Bengal Bank-notes.

No. 21065
,, 5550
,, 21231 } For 100 Rupees each.
,, 17816
,, 36655

LOST.—Second Halves of 2 Bank of Bengal Notes, Nos. 32741 and 26357, for Co.'s Rs. 50 each, the payment of which has been stopped at the Bank.

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WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 2, 1853.

Legislative Enactments.

Passed Act.

Fort William, Home Department, Legislative.
The 21st October 1853.

The following Act passed by the Governor General of India in Council on the 21st October 1853, is hereby promulgated for general information.

ACT No. XIV. OF 1853.

An Act for regulating the collection and distribution of the Effects of Officers, Seamen and others dying in the Marine Service of the East India Company called the Indian Navy.

WHEREAS it has been deemed expedient, in pursuance of the Provisions of an Act passed in a Session of Parliament holden in the 3rd and 4th years of the reign of Her Majesty Queen Victoria, to provide for the due collection, conversion into money, application, remittance and distribution of the effects of Officers, Engineers, Soldiers, Marines, Seamen and all others belonging to the Marine Establishment of the East India Company called the Indian Navy, who shall die in the Service of the said Company out of the United Kingdom, and for the discharge of their marine debts, It is enacted as follows :

I. When any Commissioned Officer belonging to the Indian Navy shall die in the Service of the East India Company out of the United Kingdom, whether his death shall take place on board Ship or on shore the First Lieutenant of the Ship or Vessel to which such Officer belonged at the time of his death, or the Officer of such Ship or Vessel next in rank to the Commander thereof, or the Commander himself if there is no other Commissioned Officer on board, or any Officer he may appoint, shall immediately secure all the effects and equipage of the deceased on board the said Ship or Vessel, or on shore in quarters, and any other effects of the deceased within the territorial possessions of the East India Company which the Commander of such Ship or Vessel shall direct or authorize to be collected or secured, and shall with all convenient speed, and not later than one month after the death of the Officer, with the assistance of two other Officers not under the rank of Purser or of Clerk in charge, such Clerk having served not less than two years at sea, to be appointed by the Commanding Officer of the said Ship or Vessel, make an inventory thereof, and transmit that inventory together with an account of the debts and credits to the Office of the Secretary to the Government of the Presidency of Bombay in the Marine Department, to the end that after payment of such Officer's marine or ship debts and the expenses of his interment where any shall have been incurred, the overplus if any shall be paid over by the said Secretary to the legal representatives of the Officer so deceased as hereinafter mentioned.

II. When any Non-commissioned Officer, Seaman or other person belonging to or serving in the Indian Navy shall die out of the United Kingdom in the Service of the East India Company, whether his death shall take place on board Ship or on shore, the First Lieutenant of the Ship or Vessel to which such Non-commissioned Officer, Seaman or other person belonged at the time of his death, or the Officer of such Ship or Vessel next in rank to the Commander thereof, or the Commander himself if there be no other Commissioned Officer on board, or any Officer he may appoint, shall immediately secure all the effects and equipage of the deceased on board the said Ship or Vessel, or on shore in quarters, and any other effects of the deceased within the territorial possessions of the East India Company which the Commander of the Ship or Vessel shall direct or authorize to be collected or secured, and shall with all convenient speed, not later than one month after the death, in the presence of two other Officers of the rank in the preceding section mentioned, to be appointed by the Commander of the said Ship or Vessel, take an inventory thereof and of his credits, and shall take care that the same be applied in the first instance to the liquidation of his marine or ship debts, the remainder, if any, to be paid over to the Secretary to the Government of Bombay in the Marine Department in order that the same may be paid to the legal representatives of the deceased.

III. When any such Commissioned or Non-commissioned Officer or Seaman, or other person shall at the time of his death as aforesaid have been detached temporarily from his own Ship and shall be serving with another Ship at a distance from his own, the Officers of the Ship in which the deceased was serving, as well as the Officers of the Ship to which the deceased belonged, at the time of his death, shall act in manner above directed in Sections I. and II. of this Act.

IV. If any Commissioned Officer, or Non-commissioned Officer, Seaman, or other person belonging to or serving in the Indian Navy shall die within the Presidency of Bombay, away from the Ship or Vessel to which he belongs, except when temporarily serving with another Ship, the Commander-in-Chief of the Indian Navy shall in such case appoint a Committee consisting of such three Officers as he

may direct, to secure the effects of the deceased, or such of them as he may direct, and to apply the same and act in regard thereto as in the first and second Sections of this Act mentioned.

V. The said First Lieutenant and other Officers to be selected and appointed for the purposes aforesaid, are hereby required to take upon them the said duties, and faithfully discharge the same, and in all respects to conform to the provisions and regulations hereinafter particularly specified.

VI. The effects and credits, within the territories under the Government of the East India Company, of Deserters from the Indian Navy, shall be collected and applied in like manner in payment of their marine or ship debts, and the remainder, if any, shall be brought to the credit of the said Company.

VII. It shall be lawful for the Officers, or other persons so authorized as aforesaid, to secure and collect the effects or any part of the effects of any such deceased Officer, Seaman or other person so dying as aforesaid, to ask, demand and receive any such effects to which his authority shall extend, and to commence, prosecute and carry on any actions or suits for the recovery thereof, and to sell and dispose of or otherwise deal with the same without taking out any letters of administration, either with any will annexed or otherwise, in every respect as if such Officers or persons employed or authorized as aforesaid had been appointed executors, and had proved the will or had taken out administration of such effects; and no Administrator General, Registrar of any Court in the East Indies, or any person acting under the appointment or authority of such Court *ad colligenda* or otherwise, shall in any manner interpose in relation to any such effects unless required or authorized so to do by any such Officer or person so authorized as aforesaid.

VIII. All sums of money due by deceased Officers, Engineers, Marines, Seamen, and other persons belonging to or serving in the Indian Navy, to the Indian Navy Fund, or in respect of mess-bills unadjusted since the last regular issue of pay-bills, or in respect of Military or Marine clothing appointments, or of equipments or other articles supplied from the Ship's stores, or of servants' wages due, or of any Ship expenses during the current month, or of any sanatarium or hospital charges, or of any mess or marine or ship accounts, and all sums of money due to any agent or Pay-master or Purser, or any other Officer upon any such account, or on account of any advance made for any such purpose, and also any charges or expenses attending or relating to the illness or funeral of any such Officer, Seaman or other person, shall be deemed and taken to be marine or ship debts, and shall be paid out of any arrears of pay or allowances, or out of any prize or bounty money, or the equipage, goods, chattels and effects of any Officer, Seaman or other person dying out of the United Kingdom while in the Service of the said Company, in preference to any other debts claims or demands whatsoever upon the estate and effects of such Officer, Seaman or other person, and if any doubt shall arise as to whether any claim or demand made in relation to any Officer, Seaman or other person is a marine or ship debt or not, or whether such charges or expenses attending or relating to the illness or funerals of such Officer, Seaman or other person are proper to be allowed, or whether any such marine or ship debts remain due, such question shall be decided and concluded by any order or certificate to be made by the Secretary to the Government, and all such payments shall be good and valid in law; and every person who shall make any such payment out of any such arrears of pay, effects, or proceeds as aforesaid under the provisions of this Act, or in pursuance of any such order or certificate of such Marine Secretary, or into whose hands any such money shall come, shall be and is hereby indemnified for and in respect of such payments, and all other acts, matters and things done in pursuance of the provisions of this Act, or of the order or certificate of the said Secretary in relation to the distribution of such assets, anything in any Act or Acts or law or laws to the contrary notwithstanding.

IX. All such marine or ship debts shall and may be paid without probate of any will or any letters of administration, and the surplus only of such arrears of pay or allowances, prize or bounty money, equipage, goods and chattels, or the proceeds thereof, shall be deemed the personal Estate of the deceased for the payment of duty in respect of any probate or of any letters of administration or for the purpose of distribution as personal estate, and it shall be lawful for the said Secretary to order and direct the payment or distribution of any such surplus, in any case in which the same shall not exceed Five hundred Company's rupees, without any probate or letters of administration, or payment of any duty of stamps or upon legacies or otherwise, and it shall also be lawful for any Pay-master or other person to issue any sum not exceeding the value of Five hundred Company's rupees which may be due to any such deceased Officer, Seaman, or other person unto the widow or relative of any such Officer, Seaman or other person, or unto the representative or representatives of any such widow or relative in India in like manner, without any probate or letters of administration or payment of any duty of stamps, or upon legacies or otherwise, the same to be paid to the person who shall be notified by the said Secretary as aforesaid as being entitled thereto, and all such payments respectively shall be as valid and effectual to all intents and purposes, as if the same had been made by or to any executor or administrator or under the authority of any probate or letters of administration, anything in any Act or Acts or law or laws to the contrary notwithstanding.

X. Any such effects, or the proceeds or surplus of such effects of any Officer, Seaman or other person so dying, when remitted to any person under any order of the Secretary to the Government of Bombay, or to such Secretary, shall not by reason of coming to the hands of such person or Secretary be taken to be assets or effects in the place to which such proceeds or surplus may be remitted, so as to render it necessary that administration should be taken out in respect thereof, and it shall be lawful for the Secretary to the Government of Bombay to order that such effects or the proceeds or surplus of any such effects shall be remitted to any other place in India where the same can more conveniently be paid over to the person or persons entitled thereto, and the obedience to the orders of such Secretary in respect to the payment and disposal of any such effects, proceeds or surplus of such effects shall be a discharge from all actions, suits and demands in respect thereof, to any person to whose hands any such effects, proceeds or surplus shall have come, and which shall have been paid and disposed of under the order of such Secretary.

XI. The effects or the proceeds or surplus of effects of any such Officer, Seaman or other person dying as aforesaid, which shall remain after satisfying such marine or ship debts as aforesaid, shall with all convenient speed be transmitted to such Secretary as aforesaid, by the Officer or person employed or required to take care of, collect and receive the same, and such Secretary shall cause the same or the surplus thereof remaining after satisfying such debts, and after and subject to such payment and application as is hereinbefore authorized, to be paid to the executor or legal representative (if in India) of such Officer, Seaman or other person, or if such executor or legal representative shall not be in India, or shall not within twelve months from the death of such Officer, Seaman or other person claim such surplus, then and in that case such Secretary shall remit the said surplus to the Court of Directors of the East India Company in London, to be by them paid to the executor or legal representative of such Officer, Seaman

or other person so deceased, and such remittance at the end of twelve months as aforesaid, shall be a discharge to such Secretary from all actions, suits and demands in respect of such surplus; provided always that the Registrars of Her Majesty's several Supreme Courts in India shall not, nor shall the Administrator General of either of the said Presidencies, be required or entitled to take out letters of administration with the will annexed, or otherwise in respect of such surplus.

XII. The provisions of this Act are intended to apply and shall apply only to European Officers and Seamen, and to other persons being Europeans belonging to the Indian Navy, who may die as aforesaid.

XIII. And whereas the Governor in Council of Bombay made certain Rules, bearing date 27th July 1844, to be observed on the decease of European Officers and European Seamen belonging to the Indian Naval Service, purporting to be Rules made in pursuance of the provisions of the said Act of the 3rd and 4th Victoria and the Articles of War thereto annexed, and which Rules have been acted upon, it is hereby enacted that the said Rules shall no longer be acted upon, but that all acts heretofore done within any part of the territories under the Government of the East India Company, which were authorized by the said Rules, shall be deemed to be valid, and that no act thereby authorized to be done shall be questioned in any court of justice in any part of the territories under the Government of the East India Company.

GEO. PLOWDEN,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of India.

Passed Act.

Fort William, Home Department, Legislative, The 28th October 1853.

THE following Act passed by the Governor General of India in Council, on the 28th October 1853, is hereby promulgated for general information.

ACT No. XV. OF 1853.

An Act for the amendment of Procedure in cases of regular appeal to the Sudder Courts in the presidency of Fort William in Bengal.

WHEREAS it is desirable to simplify and shorten the procedure in regular appeals to the Courts of Sudder Dewanny Adawlut in the said Presidency; It is enacted as follows:—

I. Act IV. 1850, and Sections II., III. and IV. Act XXX. 1850, are hereby repealed, except as to appeals presented before the passing of this Act.

II. *Clause 1st.*—Every petition of regular appeal in a case appealable to either of the said Sudder Courts shall be presented to the Court in which the decision was passed within six weeks from the day of the decision. Such petition of appeal shall, except in cases of petitions under Section XIII. of this Act, contain only notice that the party, being dissatisfied with the decision, is desirous of appealing from it.

Clause 2nd.—The Sudder Court may extend the time for presenting such petition of appeal to the lower Court, upon being satisfied that there is sufficient cause for such extension of time. The application for such extension of time may be made directly to the Sudder Court, or through the intervention of the lower Court, at the option of the applicant.

III. On presentation of a petition of regular appeal to the Court, in which the decision was passed, notice thereof to the respondent, as well as a proclamation to the same effect, shall immediately issue from that Court; and a copy of the proclamation shall be forthwith fixed up in some conspicuous part of the Court House of the said Court. If the notice cannot be personally served, the proclamation shall at once be fixed upon the door of the respondent's dwelling house, or in some conspicuous place in the village or place where he usually resides; or in cases in which the respondent shall not have a fixed residence within the jurisdiction of the Company's Courts, the proclamation may be fixed upon the door of his house of business or cutcherry, or the notice may be served on his known local agent. In case the proclamation cannot be fixed or the notice served in the manner above-mentioned, the proclamation shall be fixed up in such other place, if any, as the said last mentioned Court shall direct. The nazir shall make a return to the Court stating when and where the notice and proclamation have been served or fixed up. The return of the nazir shall be filed in Court and shall form part of the record of the case, and such return shall be published by fixing up the same in some conspicuous part of the Court House of the lower court.

IV. *Clause 1st.*—The Rule in Section XI. Regulation VI. 1793, which directs copies of all original papers transmitted to the Sudder Court with the record of an appealed case to be made out and deposited in the Court in lieu of the originals, is hereby modified, and it shall be necessary to copy, authenticate and deposit only the exhibits in the case, and also any other papers of importance, including the pleadings, or any parts of them which either of the parties shall require to be copied, authenticated and deposited in the lower Court previously to their being transmitted to the Sudder Court.

Clause 2nd.—If either of the parties require any papers to be copied, authenticated and deposited, such party shall either by himself or his pleader or authorized agent give notice in writing thereof to the lower court, before the expiration of fourteen days from the time of the publication of the return of the nazir as aforesaid. Such notice shall specify the papers which the party requires to be copied authenticated and deposited.

Clause 3rd.—Either party may by himself or his pleader or authorized agent before the presentation of an appeal give notice in writing to the lower court specifying any papers or documents which he requires to be copied, authenticated and deposited, in the event of an appeal being preferred.

V. The petition of appeal together with the record of the lower court shall be certified to the Sudder Court as soon as conveniently may be after the presentation of the petition of appeal. Provided that the same shall not be certified within the time allowed to the parties for specifying the papers which they desire to be copied, authenticated and deposited.

VI. On arrival of the appeal record at the Sudder Court, notice shall be affixed in the Court House of the said Court, requiring the appellant to file, within six weeks from the date thereof, his grounds of objection to the decision of the court below. Within the said space of six weeks the appellant shall file in the said Sudder Court his grounds of objection to the decision.

VII. *Clause 1st.*—On the filing of the grounds of objection by the appellant, notice shall be affixed in the Court House of the Sudder Court requiring the respondent to file his grounds of objection, if any, to the appeal or to the decision of the lower court within four weeks from the date of such notice.

Clause 2nd.—Within the said space of four weeks, the respondent shall file any grounds of objection which he has to the appeal, or which relate to such parts of the decision as are involved in the appeal.

Clause 3rd.—If the respondent shall desire to object to any part of the decision of the lower court not involved in the appeal, he may present a separate petition of appeal to the Sudder Court within the said space of four weeks, or within such further time as the said Sudder Court shall allow for that purpose.

Clause 4th.—The respondent shall in such case file with his petition of appeal his grounds of objection to that part of the decision to which his appeal relates, otherwise his appeal shall not be received.

VIII. *Clause 1st.*—At the expiration of the time allowed to the respondent for filing his grounds of

objection and for filing a separate petition of appeal in the Sudder Court, the record shall be deemed complete and the case ready to be called up for decision on any day which the Sudder Court may notify, unless the respondent within such time file a separate petition of appeal in the Sudder Court.

Clause 2nd.—If the respondent file a separate petition of appeal in the Sudder Court, notice shall be fixed up in the Court House of the Sudder Court to the effect that the respondent has filed such separate appeal, and the notice shall require the appellant to file any grounds of objection which he may have thereto, within the space of four weeks from the date of the notice.

Clause 3rd.—Within such space of four weeks the appellant may file any grounds of objection which he has to such appeal, other which relate to that part of the decision which is involved in the respondent's appeal. At the expiration of the time allowed for filing such grounds of objection by the appellant, the record shall be deemed complete, and the case ready to be called up for decision on any day which the Sudder Court shall notify for that purpose.

Clause 4th.—If the appeal of either party be dismissed or withdrawn, the appeal of the other may be heard alone; otherwise the two appeals and the proceedings thereon shall form one record, unless the Sudder Court shall otherwise order.

IX. The respondent shall not be allowed to present a separate petition of appeal in the Sudder Court, if he shall previously have presented a petition of appeal to the lower court.

X. *Clause 1st.*—All grounds of objection which shall be filed by either the appellant or the respondent, shall be stated distinctly and concisely without any argument or narrative of facts, and shall be numbered consecutively, and except in the cases herein-after-mentioned, shall be on paper bearing the stamp duty prescribed by Article 9, Schedule B, Regulation X. 1829.

Clause 2nd.—The Sudder Court may extend the time for filing grounds of objection either by an appellant or respondent upon special application for that purpose, and upon sufficient reasons being shown to the satisfaction of the said Court for such extension of time. In such case the objections may be filed within such extended time.

XI. Either party may, by leave of the Sudder Court or any judge thereof, at any time before the hearing, amend his grounds of objection or add grounds of objection to those filed, upon such terms and conditions, and within such time as the said Court or judge may order. The said Court may also, upon the hearing of any appeal, allow either party to amend his grounds of objection, or to add further grounds, or to urge and be heard by himself or his pleader in support of any objection not included in his grounds of objection, upon such terms and conditions as to postponement of the cause, and as to the payment of costs or otherwise, as the Court shall think just, to prevent the opposite party or his pleader from being taken by surprise or otherwise. Without such leave of the Court, neither party shall be allowed to urge or be heard in support of any objection not included in his grounds of objection filed. But the Court shall not be confined to such grounds of objection on deciding the cause.

XII. *Clause 1st.*—The Sudder Court may call up for hearing and decision on any day the Court shall notify, and without regard to the place in which the case stands in the general list of appeals, any grounds of objection filed by the respondent or the appellant to the appeal of the opposite party, and the Sudder Court may hear and decide upon such grounds of objection before calling the case up for decision upon the grounds of objection to the decision of the lower court.

Clause 2nd.—If the grounds of objection filed by the appellant, and respondent, shall be upon points of law only, and shall not raise any question of fact, the Sudder Court may order the case to be called up for hearing and decision on any day which the said Court shall notify, without regard to the place in which it stands in the general list of appeals pending in the said Court.

Clause 3rd.—If the grounds of objection filed shall raise questions of law and fact, and it shall appear to the Sudder Court that the decision of the law may render it unnecessary to determine any question of fact so raised, the Court may order the case to be called up for decision upon the law alone, in the first instance, in the manner pointed out in the last preceding Section, and if their decision of the case upon the law shall render it unnecessary to determine any question of fact the said Court shall pass a final decision in the case, otherwise the Court shall determine the law only, and the case shall be afterwards set down in the list of regular appeals for hearing upon the question or questions of fact, and shall be determined in the same manner as any other regular appeal.

XIII. If any party to a regular suit be desirous of being admitted to appeal *in formâ pauperis* to the Sudder Court, the following procedure shall be adopted.

Clause 1st.—The appellant shall present his petition to the lower court according to the rules prescribed by Section II. of this Act. Provided that a petition to appeal *in formâ pauperis* against any decision passed before this Act shall come into operation, may be presented within three months from the day of the decision.

Clause 2nd.—Petitions of appeal by parties desirous to appeal *in formâ pauperis* shall contain a statement to that effect, and also a Schedule of the whole real and personal property belonging to the petitioner, and the estimated value of such property, and shall be written on paper bearing the stamp duty of two Rupees per sheet.

Clause 3rd.—Upon the presentation of such petition, the notice to the respondent and the proclamation shall state that the appellant desires to appeal *in formâ pauperis.*

Clause 4th.—On arrival of the appeal record at the Sudder Court, the same procedure shall be adopted in that Court as in other cases of regular appeal, except that after the filing of the grounds of objection by the appellant, and before notice shall be given requiring the respondent to file his grounds of objection, the Sudder Court shall determine, according to the rules now applicable to the determination of such cases, whether or not the appellant shall be allowed to appeal *in formâ pauperis.*

Clause 5th.—If the Sudder Court allow the petitioner to appeal *in formâ pauperis*, notice shall be given to the respondent to file his grounds of objection in the manner provided by Section VII. of this Act, and the same procedure shall be adopted subsequently thereto as in other cases of regular appeal under this Act. The rules and conditions now applicable to persons admitted by the Sudder Court to appeal *in formâ pauperis* shall continue in force except where the same are inconsistent with any of the provisions of this Act.

Clause 6th.—If the Sudder Court refuse to allow the petitioner to appeal *in formâ pauperis*, the said Court may make an order to the effect that the appellant upon filing a petition of appeal in that Court, upon paper stamped with the stamp duty required by Article 8, Schedule B, Regulation X. 1829, and upon re-filing his grounds of objection on paper stamped with the stamp duty required by Article 9 of the same Schedule, may proceed with the appeal according to the rules prescribed by this Act in the case of persons not appealing as paupers.

Clause 7th.—Upon such order being made, the appellant shall file his petition and re-file his objections upon paper stamped with the stamp duty required by Clause 5 of this Section, within two weeks from the date of such order, or within such further time as the

said Court may allow for that purpose, otherwise the appeal shall stand dismissed.

Clause 8th.—Upon the re-filing of the grounds of objection according to the provisions of the last preceding Clause, notice of the order and of the re-filing of such objections shall be given to the respondent in the manner prescribed by Section VII. of this Act, and the respondent shall be required to file his grounds of objection, if any, according to the provisions of that Section. The procedure subsequent to such notice shall be according to the general provisions of this Act.

Clause 9th.—If an appellant shall petition to appeal *in formâ pauperis*, his grounds of objection may be written on plain paper.

XIV. If an appellant shall be admitted to appeal or a respondent to defend *in formâ pauperis*, all grounds of objection subsequently filed by either party may be written on plain paper.

XV. No decision shall be reversed or altered, nor shall any case be remanded upon appeal to the Sudder Court on account of any error, defect or irregularity not productive of injury to either party, nor opposed to any express enactment contained in the general Regulations or Acts of Government.

XVI. This Act extends only to regular appeals which shall be presented after the passing of this Act in Civil cases appealable to either of the Sudder Courts in the Presidency of Fort William in Bengal.

GEO. PLOWDEN,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of India.

Draft Act.

Fort William, Home Department, Legislative,
The 28th October 1853.

THE following Draft of a proposed Act was read in Council for the first time on the 28th October 1853:—

ACT No. —— of 1853.

An Act relating to Appeals in the Civil Courts of the East India Company.

WHEREAS every case in appeal ought to be determined upon the merits without regard to technical errors or defects; It is enacted as follows:—

No order or decision of any of the Civil Courts of the East India Company shall be reversed, altered or remanded on account of any error, defect or irregularity not productive of injury to either party, nor opposed to any express enactment contained in the general regulations or Acts of Government.

Ordered, that the Draft now read be published for general information.

Ordered, that the said Draft be re-considered at the first Meeting of the Legislative Council of India after the 28th day of January 1854.

GEO. PLOWDEN,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of India.

Draft Act.

Fort William, Home Department, Legislative,
The 28th October 1853.

THE following Draft of a proposed Act was read in Council for the first time on the 28th October 1853.

ACT No. —— OF 1853.

An Act to explain and amend Act X. of 1851 and Act XX. of 1841.

WHEREAS doubts exist as to the limits within which certificates of administration to personal estates granted in pursuance of Section IV. Act. X. of 1851, by the British representative accredited to a foreign State or by the British Officer holding the highest executive authority in a district to which Act XX. of 1841 does not extend, and it is expedient to remove such doubts and also to amend the provisions of the said Acts; It is enacted as follows:—

I. Every such certificate of administration as aforesaid, which shall hereafter be granted, shall, as regards the public securities of the East India Company, give authority to the person to whom the same shall be granted throughout the territories in the possession and under the Government of the East India Company, and have the same effect throughout the said territories as a certificate granted under the provisions of Act XX. of 1841, as amended by Act X. of 1854, has within the Presidency within which the same is granted; provided always, and it is hereby enacted, that no certificate granted under the provisions of Act XX. of 1841, as amended by Act X. of 1851, or under the provisions of Act X. of 1851, shall empower the person certified to negotiate any Government note or share of a Bank or any share of such security, or to receive any interest or dividend due thereon, or any share of such interest or dividend, unless the Government note or Bank share shall be specified in such certificate.

II. Any Judge, British representative or other British Officer authorized to grant a certificate may from time to time extend the same to any Government note or Bank share not originally specified therein, and every such extension shall have the same effect as if the Government note or Bank share to which the certificate shall be extended had been originally specified therein.

III. Upon the extension of a certificate, security may be required in the same manner as upon the original grant of a certificate.

Ordered, that the Draft now read be published for general information.

Ordered, that the said Draft be re-considered at the first Meeting of the Legislative Council of India after the 28th day of January 1854.

GEO. PLOWDEN,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of India.

Notifications, Appointments, &c.

No. 33.

FORT WILLIAM,
FINANCIAL DEPARTMENT.
THE 28TH OCTOBER 1853.

Notification.

NOTICE is hereby given, that no claims under the Notifications dated 23rd of April and 6th of June last, by Proprietors of the Five per Cent. Sicca Loans, to transfer the amount of their Notes into the Four per Cent. Loan of 1842-43, will be recognized after the 28th of November next.

Published by order of the Most Noble the Governor General of India in Council,

C. ALLEN,
Secretary to the Govt. of India.

No. 34.

FORT WILLIAM,

FINANCIAL DEPARTMENT,

THE 28TH OCTOBER 1853.

Notification.

NOTICE is hereby given, that all the Notes of the Five per Cent. Loan, bearing date the 30th of June 1841, from No. 19001 to the last number on the Register, will be discharged at the General Treasury in Calcutta on the 30th of January next, on which date the Interest thereon will cease.

Proprietors of the Notes hereby advertised for payment are permitted, on or before 30th of January next, to transfer the amount of their Promissory Notes into a new Loan, which shall bear Interest at the rate of Four per Cent. per annum, payable half-yearly on the 31st of December and on the 30th of June.

Proprietors who may transfer their Promissory Notes into this new Loan, through the Government Agent, shall not be subjected to the payment of the Fees prescribed in the Rules of the Government Agency for transferring Notes from one Loan to another.

All Officers authorised to receive subscriptions to Government Loans are hereby required to receive applications in writing from individuals who may desire to transfer the amount of their loans into the new Four per Cent. Loan.

These applications, together with the Promissory Notes in reference to which they may have been received, shall, without fee or expense of any kind to the proprietor, be transmitted to the Deputy Accountant General at Fort William, who will forthwith cause an entry to be made on the face of the Note acknowledging the transfer, and giving the number of the Note on the Register of the new Loan.

This entry shall be deemed tantamount to the issue of a new Note bearing Interest at Four per Cent. per annum, payable half-yearly on 31st of December and the 30th of June, and shall be in the following form:

"No —— Of the Four per Cent. Loan of 1854-55.

By transfer.

"Interest is payable on this Note at the rate of 4 per Cent. per annum, by half-yearly instalments, on the "31st December and the 30th of June."

Prompt settlement of the Principal and Interest at the rate of Five per Cent. per annum to the date of advertised discharge, will be made with proprietors who may tender their Notes for transfer into the new Loan; provided, however, that the Principal only will be transferred, and that the Interest up to the 30th of January inclusive will be discharged in Cash, as well as anticipation Interest up to the 30th of June 1854.

It is further notified, that the Most Noble the Governor General in Council has, for the accommodation of proprietors who are not in India, authorized the Deputy Accountant General to allow the conditional transfer of their Notes to the new Four per Cent. Loan, on the application of agents or friends, leaving it optional with the proprietors to confirm the transfer or to require payment in cash: provided however that no notice disallowing the transfer will be received after six months from the present date.

The Promissory Notes of the new Loan will not be re-payable until after the expiration of three months from notice of payment duly advertized in the *Calcutta Gazette*, under the authority of the Governor General of India in Council.

Published by order of the Most Noble the Governor General of India in Council,

C. ALLEN,

Secy. to the Govt. of India.

No. 35.

FORT WILLIAM,

FINANCIAL DEPARTMENT,

THE 28TH OCTOBER 1853.

Notification.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Sub-Treasurers at Fort William, Fort St. George, and Bombay, the several Residents at Native Courts, and the several Collectors of Land Revenue under those Presidencies, as well as the Collectors and others in charge of Treasuries under the Supreme Government and the Government of the North-Western Provinces, have been authorized to receive, until further Orders, any sums of money in even hundreds, of not less than 500 of Company's Rupees, which may be tendered on loan to the East India Company, at an Interest of three and a half per centum per annum, subject to the provisions hereinafter specified.

All authorized public demands, including audited Bills for arrears of Salary and Bills of Exchange on the public Treasuries, these last being subject to a deduction at the rate of three and a half per centum per annum for the period they may have to run, will be received as Cash at par.

The Pay-masters of the Army under the several Presidencies are also authorized to transfer any demands which may be payable by them respectively to this Loan, and to grant drafts for the amounts, in Bengal and Madras on the Accountant General, and in Bombay on the Military Pay-master General, which drafts shall be received by those Officers in payment of Subscriptions to this Loan, on being tendered to them for that purpose.

The several public Officers, authorized to receive subscriptions into this Loan, will grant acknowledgments, in the following form, for all sums received by them respectively:—

"I hereby acknowledge that A. B. has this day paid into the East India Company's Treasury the sum of "Company's Rupees for which he is entitled to receive a Promissory "Note bearing interest from the (28th Febuary or 31st of August next as the case may be), of "the tenor, and subject to the conditions of the Loan specified in the Advertisement published "in the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 28th October, 1853.

The Deputy Accountant General at Fort William will, on the said acknowledgments being delivered, forthwith cause to be prepared and issued to the parties entitled thereto, Promissory Notes under the signature of the Secretary to the Government of India, in the following form:—

"FORT WILLIAM, THE 28TH FEBRUARY 1854.

"Promissory Note at three and a half per centum for Company's Rupees . The "Governor General of India in Council does hereby acknowledge to have received from A. B. the sum of "Company's Rupees as a Loan to the East India Company, and does hereby promise "for and on behalf of the said Company to repay the said Loan, by paying the said sum of Company's Rupees to the said A. B. his Executors or Administrators, or his or their Order, on "demand, at the General Treasury of Fort William, after the expiration of three months' Notice of payment "to be given by the Governor General of India in Council in the *Calcutta Gazette*, and to pay the Interest "accruing on the said sum of Company's Rupees at the rate of three and a half per "centum per annum, by half-yearly payments at the General Treasury of Fort William, to the said A. B., his "Executors or Administrators, until the expiration of three months after such notice of payment as aforesaid, "when the amount of Interest due will be payable with the Principal, and (such notice being considered equi-"valent to a tender of payment at the period appointed for the discharge of the Note) all further Interest shall "cease.

"Signed by the authority of the Governor General of India in Council,

"*Secretary to the Govt.*"

"*Accountant General's Office,*
"*Registered as No. of .*"

The several Officers authorized to receive subscriptions, will, on application from the holders of acknowledgments, transmit them (free of every expense whatever) to the Deputy Accountant General at Fort William, to be exchanged for Promissory Notes bearing Interest from the 28th of February or 31st of August next ensuing after the date of subscription. The Interest accruing on the broken period of the half year, that may intervene between the date of subscription and the 28th of February or 31st August next ensuing, as the case may be, will be paid up at the time of granting the acknowledgment.

Proprietors of Notes or acknowledgments who may desire to have the Interest payable at any other public Treasury than at the General Treasury of Calcutta, shall be entitled to receive it accordingly, provided they notify their wish to the Deputy Accountant General at Fort William, and transmit the Notes or acknowledgments to him to have an Order for the payment of Interest at the said Treasury written on the face of the Notes under the signature of the said Officer or that of his Assistant, and after such order shall, on the application of the proprietor be inscribed on any Note, the Interest shall be payable only from the said Treasury unless the proprietor shall present the Note with an application, for the purpose of transferring the payment elsewhere to the Deputy Accountant General at Fort William.

The Promissory Notes of this Loan shall not be renewed, subdivided or consolidated except by the Deputy Accountant General at Fort William. The practice and rules heretofor in use in regard to the renewal, sub-division, and consolidation of Promissory Notes will be adhered to.

Published by order of the Most Noble the Governor General of India in Council,

C. ALLEN,
Secy. to the Govt. of India.

No. 713.

Fort William, Home Department,

The 28th October 1853.

Appointment.—Mr. Charles Hogg to be the Hon'ble Company's Standing Counsel for the Presidency of Fort William in Bengal.

GEO. PLOWDEN,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of India.

No. 4610.

Fort William, Foreign Department,

The 28th October 1853.

Notifications.—The words "in addition to his other duties" in G. O. G. G. dated the 6th ultimo, No. 3884, appointing Lieutenant G. F. Carnegie, of the 44th Regiment Native Infantry, to officiate for Major Wakefield as Cantonment Joint Magistrate at Meean Meer, are cancelled.

No. 4611.

The 31st October 1853.

The leave of absence granted by the Chief Commissioner of the Punjab to Mr. L. Cowan, Extra Assistant at Dera Ismail Khan, until the 10th proximo, in extension of the leave granted to him in G. O. of the 13th ultimo, No. 3996, is confirmed.

No. 4612.

The 1st November 1853.

The leave of absence for fifteen days, under Section XII. of the Amended Rules, granted to Mr. H. R. Madocks, Assistant Commissioner of Ferozepore, in G. O. of the 9th August last, No. 3458, is cancelled.

No. 4613.

Captain S. C. Macpherson received charge of the office of Agent to the Governor General at Benares on the 28th ultimo.

No. 4614.

Dr. T. B. Wright, in Medical charge of the Jyepore Agency, has obtained leave of absence from the 20th October to the 1st November, in extension of the leave granted to him in G. O. of the 26th April last, No. 1892, to remain at Mussoorie for the recovery of his health.

No. 4615.

The Most Noble the Governor General in Council is pleased to appoint Mr. J. W. Dalrymple to officiate as Under-Secretary to Government in the Foreign Department, until further orders.

J. P. GRANT,

Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of India.

No. 1943.

Orders by the Most Noble the Governor of Bengal.

Appointments.—The 31st October 1853.—Mr. A. J. M. Mills to be a Judge of the Court of Sudder Dewanny and Nizamut Adawlut, with the powers of a Special Commissioner under Regulation III. of 1828.

Mr. G. A. C. Plowden to be a Member of the Board of Revenue. Mr. Plowden's services will remain for the present at the disposal of the Government of India.

Mr. H. T. Raikes to be Commissioner of Revenue of the 14th or Moorshedabad Division, but to continue to officiate as a Judge of the Sudder Court.

Mr C. T. Davidson to be Commissioner of Revenue of the 15th or Dacca Division.

Mr. A. Sconce to be Civil and Sessions Judge of Dacca.

Mr. A. Forbes to be Civil and Sessions Judge of Chittagong.

Mr. R. P. Harrison to be Magistrate, Collector and Salt Agent of Cuttack, and Assistant to the Superintendent of the Tributary Mehals.

Mr. O. W. Malet to be Collector of Rungpore, but to continue to officiate as Additional Judge of Chittagong until further orders.

The above appointments will take effect from the 14th instant.

Leave of Absence.—The 21st October 1853.—Mr. W. Bell, Officiating Judge of Rungpore, for one month, under Section XI. of the Amended Absentee Rules, making over charge of the current duties of his office to the Sudder Ameen of the District.

Dr. J. B. Barry, Medical Officer of Gowalparrah, for three months, on private affairs, making over charge of his duties to Dyah Singh, Native Doctor.

Baboo Meheschunder Dutt, Sub-Assistant Surgeon at Govindpore, for ten days, in extension of his former leave.

The 27th October 1853.—Rao Tarrucknauth Sein, Principal Sudder Ameen of Manbhoom, for three days, in excess of the Dussarah and Mohurrum vacations.

The 29th October 1853.—Mr. F. Tucker, Joint Magistrate and Deputy Collector of Bancoorah, for twenty-five days, under Sections XI. and XII. of the Amended Absentee Rules, in addition to the time allowed for joining his station.

The 31st October 1853.—Mr. C. F. Montresor, Magistrate of Nuddea, for ten days, under Section XI. of the Amended Absentee Rules, making over charge of his office to Mr. H. B. Lawford, who will officiate as Magistrate during Mr. Montresor's absence.

Notifications.—The 28th October 1853.—Mr. H. G. Astell, of the Civil Service, reported his departure for Europe on the Steam-ship "Oriental," which was left by the pilot at Sea on the 21st instant.

The 31st October 1853.—The services of Mr. W. Dalrymple have been placed temporarily at the disposal of the Government of India.

The 1st November 1853.—The following order of Her Majesty in Council, dated the 19th of August last, are published for general information:—

At the Court at Osborne House, Isle of Wight, the 19th August 1853.

PRESENT:

THE QUEEN'S MOST EXCELLENT MAJESTY IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS by the Foreign Deserters' Act, 1852, it is provided that whenever it is made to appear to Her Majesty that due facilities are or will be given for recovering and apprehending Seamen who desert from British Merchant Ships, in the Territories of any Foreign Power, Her Majesty may, by order in Council, stating that such facilities are or will be given, declare that Seamen, not being slaves, who desert from Merchant Ships belonging to a subject of such power, when within Her Majesty's Dominions or the Territories of the East India Company, shall be liable to be apprehended and carried on board their respective Ships, and may limit the operation of such order, and may render the operation thereof subject to such conditions and qualifications, if any, as may be deemed expedient.

And whereas it has been made to appear to Her Majesty that due facilities will be given for recovering and apprehending Seamen who desert from British Merchant Ships in the Territories belonging to His Majesty the King of the Kingdom of the Two Sicilies.

Now therefore Her Majesty, by virtue of the powers vested in Her by the said Foreign Deserters' Act, 1852, and by and with the advice of Her Privy Council, is pleased to order and declare, and it is hereby ordered and declared, that from and after the publication hereof in the *London Gazette*, Seamen, not being slaves, who desert from Merchant Ships belonging to subjects of the King of the Kingdom of the Two Sicilies, within Her Majesty's Dominions, or the Territories of the East India Company, shall be liable to be apprehended, and carried on board their respective Ships.

And the Right Hon'ble the Lords Commissioners of Her Majesty's Treasury, and the Commissioners for the Affairs of India, are to give the necessary directions herein accordingly.

(Sd.) C. G. GREVILLE.

By order of the Most Noble the Governor of Bengal,

CECIL BEADON,

Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

No. 1929.

NOTIFICATION.

The 1st November 1853.

The following statement of the number of furloughs available in this season for the Members of the Civil Service is published for general information.

On the 1st November 1852, there were vacant and available, to make the complement of fifty-one furloughs, ... 29

Lapses since 1st November 1852.

By return Messrs. O. W. Malet, D. Cunliffe, G. M. B. Berford, W. H. Brodhurst, G. C. Fletcher, ... 5
By expiry, ... 1
By resignation, ... 1
By death, ... 0
36

Deduct taken within the year.

Messrs. H. P. Fane, W. Edwards, W. J. Bramley, W. Wynyard, C. G. Hillersdon, G. C. Barnes, A. Pigou, S. Wauchope, A. Shakespear, M. C. Ommanny, W. Ford, J. Combe, and T. B. Mactier, ... 13
23

Remain absent on this date, to make the complement of fifty-one furloughs, ... 28
51

Twenty-three furloughs are available on this date, of which eleven have been assigned by the Most Noble the Governor of Bengal to the following gentlemen:—

Mr. H. G. Astell, Mr. E. Sandys,
„ J. R. Hutchinson, „ R. Marriott,
„ St. George Tucker, „ C. B. Saunders,
„ W. Seton-Karr, „ B. Sapte,
„ A. Swinton, „ L. Bowring.
Mr. J. Guthrie.

This leaves twelve available furloughs unappropriated, and the following will also fall in between this date and the 31st March next, on the dates mentioned, or sooner if the incumbents previously return.

Mr. T. K. Loyd, ... 2nd February 1854.
„ J. E. S. Lillie, ... 9th „ „
„ B. H. Cooper, ... „ „ „
„ H. Vansittart, ... 3rd March „
„ R. N. Shore, ... „ „ „
„ E. T. Colvin, ... 10th „ „

By order of the Most Noble the Governor of Bengal.

CECIL BEADON,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

Orders by the Government of the North-Western Provinces.

No. 4162 *of* 1853.

Judicial and Revenue Department,
Agra, the 25th October 1853.

The leave of absence granted, in orders of the 30th August last, to Mr. Edward Michael Wylly, Magistrate and Collector of Meerut, is cancelled at his own request.

By order of the Government North-Western Provinces,

W. MUIR,
Secy. to Govt., N. W. P.

No. 4166 of 1853.

Judicial and Revenue Department,
Agra, the 26th October 1853.

Leave of Absence.—Moulvee Mahomed Hussun Khan, Sudder Ameen of Pillibheet, for eight days, from the 22nd to the 29th ultimo, on Medical certificate.

By order of the Government, North-Western Provinces.

FRED. SHAW,
Offg. Asst. Secy. to Govt. N. W. P.

General Orders by the Most Noble the Governor General of India in Council.

Fort William, 28th October 1853.

No. 875 of 1853.—The Most Noble the Governor General of India in Council having had under consideration the mode of payment to be observed in regard to Native Soldiers of the Madras and Bombay Armies, who may be desirous of drawing pay while on leave at stations under this Presidency, is pleased to promulgate the following Rules, in supercession of the Government General Order, No. 168, of the 12th March 1852, and of previous regulations on the subject:

1. All Commissioned, Non-Commissioned Officers and Privates, belonging to either of the Presidencies of Fort Saint George and Bombay, who may obtain leave of absence to stations in Bengal and the North Western Provinces, and who may be desirous of drawing pay during the term of such leave, will be furnished with a passport or leave certificate for this purpose, agreeably to the accompanying Form, (No. I.)

2. The passports are to be carefully filled up by the Regimental or other officers entrusted with their preparation, great care and minuteness in recording the personal appearance and particular marks of each Soldier being required to ensure identification and to prevent fraud.

3. Each Soldier must be required to indicate the Treasuries, Civil or Military, from which he may be desirous of drawing pay. A specification thereof is to be entered in the passport in the appropriate column, and it should be distinctly explained to every Native Soldier, that in the event of any deviation from his stated route, as entered in the passport, he will receive no pay except on arrival at one of the stations therein mentioned.

4. The Officers in charge of the Treasuries thus indicated should be advised of the intended payments simultaneously with the issue of the passport, and be furnished with a copy of the latter document.

5. The advice should also contain the probable dates of arrival of the holder of the passport at each of the stations indicated, and in the event of his arriving much earlier or later than the appointed time at any station, the Collector or Pay Master of such station should notify the circumstance to the Officers at the remaining stations entered in the passport.

6. No duplicate passport is to be issued without a previous reference to the Officers in charge of the several Treasuries concerned, for the purpose of ascertaining the extent of the payments that may have been made upon the original passport; and advice of the issue of a duplicate passport is invariably to be furnished to the several Treasuries therein mentioned.

7. The several Pay Masters, Deputy Pay Masters, Collectors and other disbursing Officers in Bengal and the North Western Provinces are authorized to discharge, as the same shall become due, the pay of Furlough men of the Madras and Bombay Establishments, on presentation of passports or leave certificates in the form above prescribed, provided that advice thereof has been duly received, and that the identity of the applicants has been satisfactorily established. It should be the special care of all disbursing Officers or their subordinates to compare the passport presented in each case with the copy furnished with the letter of advice, and to see that the descriptive remarks entered in both correspond with the personal appearance of the applicant.

8. Receipts for all payments thus made are invariably to be taken in duplicate and the payments are to be debited in the disbursing Officer's account current to Madras or Bombay, as the case may be.

9. A note of every payment, of the date on which it is made, and of the period to which it refers, is also to be carefully entered on the back of the passport.

10. The disbursing Officers will furnish at the beginning of each month statements (a separate statement on account of each Presidency) of the payments made by them during the preceding month in the accompanying Form, (No. 2,) accompanied by the original receipts to the Military Accountant at Fort William, for transmission to the Authorities at Fort Saint George and Bombay respectively. The duplicate receipts will accompany the Account Current as vouchers in support of the relative debits.

11. It is to be understood that the monthly statements of payments are not, as heretofore, to be submitted to the Military Auditor General for audit, but, to be forwarded direct to the Military Accountant at Fort William; their respective amounts being charged off in Account Current as above directed.

12. Passports will, as heretofore, be issued only from the Offices of the Adjutants General at Madras and Bombay respectively, on the requisition of Commanding Officers, who will render an annual account, on the 1st January, of the number received and issued and the balance remaining in store.

13. The foregoing rules are to have effect from the 1st January 1854.

FORM No. 1.

Passport or Leave Certificate of a in the Regiment , who has obtained Leave of Absence to visit the Bengal Presidency.

DESCRIPTION OF INDIVIDUAL.														
NAMES.	AGE.		HEIGHT.		Religion, caste or tribe.	Prominent and particular marks.	Rank and Corps.	Date of Enlistment.	Amount of Monthly Pay.	Date up to which paid with his Regiment.	Period for which leave has been granted.	Stations at which the payments on this Passport are to be made.	Probable date of arrival at each station.
	Years.	Months.	Feet.	Inches.									

FORM No. 2.

Statement of Payments made from the Treasury of the Collector (or Deputy Pay Master) of during the month of to the undermentioned Native Commissioned, Non-Commissioned Officers, Sepoys, &c., belonging to the Presidency of on Furlough, together with Abstract of the Passports presented by them respectively at this Office.

DESCRIPTION OF INDIVIDUAL.											PAYMENTS AT THIS PRESIDENCY.		REMARKS.
NAMES.	AGE.		HEIGHT.		Religion, caste or tribe.	Prominent and particular marks.	Rank and Corps.	Date of Enlistment.	Amount of Monthly Pay.	Date up to which paid with his Regiment.	Period for which leave has been granted.	Amount.	For what period.	
	Years.	Months.	Feet.	Inches.										

Certified that the above is a true and correct Abstract of the Passports or Leave Certificates of the men therein described, and that the payments were made in my presence after due enquiry as to the identity of the parties.

No. 876 *of* 1853.—The Most Noble the Governor General of India in Council having had under consideration the improvement of the rations supplied by the Commissariat Department to European Troops, is pleased to direct the publication of the following Rules, to take effect as soon as the necessary arrangements can be made by the Commissariat Department:—

1. The Government General Orders, Nos. 86 and 87, of the 6th February 1852, are hereby cancelled, and the daily ration of a European Soldier shall in future consist of

1 lb. of Bread.
1 lb. of Meat.
4 oz. of Rice.
2½ oz. of Sugar.
½ oz. of Tea.
1 oz. of Salt.
8 oz. of Vegetables.
3 lbs. of Fire-wood.

2. The Meat will be cut up into joints, and such parts of the animal (such as the ribs and upper joints of the fore-legs) as are more than two-thirds bone, will be excluded from the ration.

3. The rations of vegetables will consist of such descriptions as may be procurable at the several Stations of the army, during the different seasons of the year.

4. The following Rules contained in Government General Order No. 232, of the 9th August 1843, will continue in force: the Bread issued in the rations of a Soldier is to be of the best quality, and equal to that provided for Hospital diet. Mutton will be issued twice a week in lieu of Beef, and in the same quantity, whenever circumstances may admit; Coffee may be substituted for Tea in the proportion of 2 lbs of the former to 1 lb of the latter, whenever Tea is not procurable, or Coffee may be preferred and is at hand.

5. The ordinary Tea ration will consist of one-third of Green, and two-thirds of Black Tea, whenever circumstances may admit of the issue of both kinds.

6. The Government General Order No. 85, of the 25th February 1848, is cancelled; and the following course is in future to be pursued with respect to all descriptions of provisions tendered by the Commissariat or its Contractors for the use of the Soldier in health or sickness.

7. Whenever any portion of the rations or diet tendered for a corps or Hospital is deemed objectionable, the option of changing them is not to be allowed to the Contractor, but the Commanding Officer should immediately assemble a Regimental Committee for the purpose of inspecting them.

8. The Committee will be composed of a Field Officer or Captain as President, with an Officer Commanding a Troop or Company and a Medical Officer, as Members.

9. The decision of the Regimental Committee shall be final, and their report should be at once forwarded for the guidance of the Executive Commissariat Officer at the Station.

10. In all cases of condemnation of Provisions, the Committee Reports should shew whether the articles are deemed of inferior quality only, or decidedly unwholesome; and when pronounced positively unwholesome, the provisions are instantly to be destroyed in the presence of the Committee.

11. Except in the instances hereafter specified, when provisions have been condemned as of inferior quality, the Contractor will be allowed to substitute fresh rations, and in the event of his failing to do so, within a reasonable time, the Commissariat Officer will supply the deficiency at the cost of the Contractor.

12. In cases of the condemnation of Meat, the cost to Government of the rejected rations (which if not absolutely unwholesome, will be returned to the Contractor) together with the amount of the fine that may be levied upon the Contractor, will be paid by the Commissariat to the Regiment, and expended under the direction of Officers Commanding Troops and Companies in the purchase of food.

13. In the event of the rejection of bread, and a fresh supply not being immediately procurable, flour or soojee at the option of the Soldier, will be issued as an equivalent, with a supply of fire-wood, all at the cost of the Contractor, to whom the rejected bread, if not unwholesome, will be returned: two pounds of flour or soojee, and one lb of fire-wood, to be the allowance of each man.

14. Under the operation of these rules, it will depend solely and entirely upon Regimental Committees to raise the quality of the rations issued to the proper Standard, and to maintain that Standard.

15. The Executive Commissariat Officers of Divisions have been directed by the Commissary General to make a report periodically to their Departmental Superiors, of their having at uncertain intervals personally attended the issue of rations; and His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief will be requested to cause similar reports to be made to the Military Authorities by Officers Commanding Regiments, impressing upon them at the same time, that it is only by the Commissioned Officers of Regiments being themselves particular in examining rations and forming their own judgment as to the quality of the articles, without the intervention of Subordinate Officials, whether Regimental or Departmental, that the object of Government for the supply of really good provisions, can be secured.

16. This Order is to be considered applicable to the three Presidencies.

No. 877 *of* 1853.—Captain G. Scott, of the 6th Regiment Light Cavalry, Deputy Paymaster at Benares, is allowed leave of absence for thirty days, from the 3rd November 1853, and Captain D. S. Dodgson, of the 30th Regiment Native Infantry, and Major of Brigade at Benares, is permitted, as a temporary arrangement, on Captain Scott's responsibility, to act for him.

No. 878 *of* 1853.—The Most Noble the Governor General of India in Council is pleased to make the following appointments in the Department of Public Works:—

Lieutenant J. D. Swayne, of the 11th Regiment Native Infantry, to be Executive Officer of the Northern Hidgellee Division.

Assistant Overseer Serjeant G. Rayner is transferred from the 3rd Division Grand Trunk Road to the Northern Hidgellee Division, as an Assistant to Lieutenant Swayne.

Assistant Overseer Serjeant G. F. Hardy is transferred from the Puttialy Division Grand Trunk Road to the Southern Hidgellee Division, as an Assistant to Executive Officer Sub-Conductor F. Brine.

No. 879 *of* 1853.—Captain John Hutcheson Fergusson, of the 33rd Regiment Native Infantry, is permitted to retire from the Service of the East India Company, on the pension of his rank, from the 1st October 1853.

The Most Noble the Governor General of India in Council, is pleased to make the following promotions:—

33rd Regiment Native Infantry.

Lieutenant and Brevet Captain Trevor Henry Shum to be Captain of a Company, ...
Ensign Joseph White Orchard to be Lieutenant, ...

From the 1st of October 1853, in succession to Captain John Hutcheson Fergusson, retired.

No. 880 *of* 1853.—Major H. Foquett, of the 56th Regiment Native Infantry, Commanding 2nd Assam Light Infantry Battalion, is allowed leave of absence from 15th November 1853 to 15th March 1854, to visit the Presidency, on urgent private affairs.

No. 881 *of* 1853.—The Most Noble the Governor General of India in Council is pleased to make the following promotions :—

58th Regiment Native Infantry.

Captain Archibald Campbell to be Major, ...	From the 19th October 1853, in succession to Major Neville Anbury Parker, deceased.
Lieutenant Frederick John Davies to be Captain of a Company, ...	
Ensign William Delafield Arnold to be Lieutenant,.....	

No. 882 *of* 1853.—The Most Noble the Governor General in Council is pleased to notify the following appointment, *viz :*

Captain W. F. Nuthall, 18th Regiment Native Infantry, Second in Command of the Arracan Battalion, to be Commandant of the Pegu Light Infantry Battalion, with effect from the 4th April 1853.

No. 883 *of* 1853.—The under-mentioned individual is admitted to Pension, as specified opposite to his name, under the Provisions of Minutes of Council of the 11th January 1797, and General Order dated 5th February 1820, subject to the confirmation of the Hon'ble the Court of Directors.

Sergeant Patrick Keegan, of the 1st Company European Artillerry Invalids.	Thirty (30) Rupees per mensem, payable in India.

Fort William, 1st November 1853.

No. 884 *of* 1853.—Major General the Hon'ble G. Anson, whose appointment to serve on the General Staff of the Army in the East Indies, in succession to Major General Sir J. Thackwell, G. C. B. & K. H., was announced in General Orders, Queen's Troops, under date the 3rd August 1853, having reported his arrival, is admitted on the General Staff of this Presidency from the 31st October 1853.

No. 885 *of* 1853.—The following Notifications from the Foreign Department are re-published in General Orders :—

No. 4573, *dated 26th October* 1853.—The Most Noble the Governor General in Council is pleased to grant Lieutenant J. T. Lumsden, Adjutant of the 5th Regiment of Infantry, Scindia's Contingent, leave of absence on Medical certificate for four months, from the 14th instant, to visit Calcutta, preparatory to applying for furlough to Europe.

No. 4575, *dated 28th October* 1853.—The services of Captain N. R. Sneyd, of the 57th Regiment Native Infantry, holding the appointment of Second in Command of the 3rd Regiment of Infantry, Scindia's Contingent, are placed at the disposal of His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief for Regimental duty.

No. 886 *of* 1853.—Assistant Surgeon F. N. Macnamara, M. D., has been appointed in orders by the Most Noble the Governor of Bengal, dated 26th October 1853, to be Professor of Chemistry in the Medical College.

No. 887 *of* 1853.—The under-mentioned Officers are permitted to proceed to Europe on furlough :—

Captain William Walter Davidson, of the 18th Regiment Native Infantry, Assistant Commissary General, ...	On Medical certificate.
1st Lieutenant Lionel James Trotter, of the 2nd European Bengal Fusiliers, ...	
Surgeon William Brydon, of the Medical Department, ...	

No. 888 *of* 1853.—The under-mentioned Officer is permitted proceed to Europe on furlough :—

Lieutenant Charles Carter, of the 58th Regiment Native Infantry,	On private affairs.

No. 889 *of* 1853.—Captain Ralph William Henry Leycester, of the 19th Regiment Madras Native Infantry, is permitted to proceed from Calcutta to the Cape of Good Hope, or to the Eastward, on Medical certificate, and to be absent on that account for twelve months.

No. 890 *of* 1853.—The services of the under-mentioned Officers are placed at the disposal of the Foreign Department for employment in Burmah :—

Second Lieutenant E. C. S. Williams, ...	Engineers.
Second Lieutenant H. A. Craster,	
Second Lieutenant W. S. Trevor,	
Second Lieutenant J. S. Ingram,	1st European Bengal Fusiliers.

R. J. H. Birch, *Lt.-Colonel,*

Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of India, Mily. Dept.

QUARTERLY REPORT OF THE COLLEGE OF FORT WILLIAM, FOR THE QUARTER ENDING 30TH SEPTEMBER 1853.

Report on the Examination of the Students of the College of Fort William, in Persian, Oordoo, Hindee, Bengallee and Sanskrit, held on the 1st July 1853.

PERSIAN.

Nos.	Names.	Date of Admission into College.	Date of Initiatory Examination.	Remarks.
1	Home, ..	4 Feb. 53,	7 Feb. 53,	Passed—Has to pass in a second language.
2	Willock, ..	4 Feb. 53,	7 Feb. 53,	Not passed in any language.
3	Sherwood, ..	2 April 52,	6 April 52,	Passed in Oordoo, 3rd Jan. 53.
4	Cockerell, ..	31 May 52,	1 June 52,	Passed in Oordoo, 1st Nov. 52
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1	Jenkins, ..	6 Dec. 52,	6 Dec. 52,	Passed in Persian, 1st Feb. 53, and in Oordoo, 1st Mar. 53. Qualified for the Public Service. Received a Medal of Merit, for general diligence and proficiency. Studying for Honors.
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1	Watson, ..	4 Feb. 53,	7 Feb. 53,	Studying at Meerut. Not passed in any language.
2	Thornhill, ..	4 Feb. 53,	7 Feb. 53,	Studying at Agra. Not passed in any language.
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1	Saunders, ..	6 Dec. 51,	15 Dec. 51,	Absent from Calcutta. Not passed in any language.

OORDOO.

Nos.	Names.	Date of Admission into College.	Date of Initiatory Examination.	Remarks.
1	Halsey, ..	19 Mar. 53,	21 Mar. 53,	Not passed in any language.
2	Simpson, ..	19 Mar. 53,	21 Mar. 53,	Ditto ditto.
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1	Money, ..	4 Feb. 53,	7 Feb. 53,	Studying at Berhampore. Not passed in any language.
2	Drummond,	6 Jan. 53,	7 Jan. 53,	Studying at Muzuffer-pore. Not passed in any language.
3	Taylor, ..	2 Mar. 53,	5 Mar. 53,	Studying at Azrah. Not passed in any language.

HINDEE.

Nos.	Names.	Date of Admission into College.	Date of Initiatory Examination.	Remarks.
1	Melville, ..	29 Oct. 52,	1 Nov. 52,	Passed in Persian, 2nd May 53.
2	Plowden, ..	1 Oct. 52,	1 Oct. 52,	Passed in Persian, 1st March 53.
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1	Lane, ..	28 Sept. 52,	1 Oct. 52,	Passed for high proficiency. Passed in Oordoo, 1st Dec. 52, and in Bengallee, 1st Feb. 53. Qualified for the Public Service. Passed for high proficiency in Bengallee, 1st April 53 and in Oordoo 1st June 53. Studying for Honors.
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1	Cunliffe, ..	29 Oct. 52,	1 Nov. 52,	Absent on Medical Certificate. Passed in Persian 3rd Jan. 53.
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1	Shaw, ..	20 Aug. 46,	1 Sept. 46,	Studying at Agra. Passed in Persian, 5th April 47.
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1	Cuppage, ..	15 Oct. 51,	15 Oct. 51,	Absent from Calcutta. Not passed in any language.

BENGALLEE.

Nos.	Names.	Date of Admission into College.	Date of Initiatory Examination.	Remarks.
1	Herschel, ..	3 Mar. 53,	5 Mar. 53,	Passed in Persian, 1st April 53.
2	Eden, ..	1 June 52,	1 June 52,	Passed in Oordoo, 1st Nov. 53.
3	Ravenshaw,	7 Jan. 53,	10 Jan. 53,	Passed in Oordoo, 2nd May 53.
1	Chapman, ..	6 Dec. 52,	6 Dec. 52,	Passed for high proficiency. Passed in Oordoo 3rd Jan. 53, and in Bengallee, 1st Mar. 53. Qualified for the Public Service. Received 2 Medals of Merit, one in Oordoo and one for General Diligence and Proficiency. Passed for High Proficiency in Oordoo, 1st March 53, and in Persian, 1st April 53. Studying for Honors.
2	Waterfield, ..	22 Nov. 52,	25 Nov. 52,	Passed in Oordoo, 1st Dec. 52, in Bengallee, 3rd Jan. 53, in Hindee, 1st Feb. 53 and in Persian, 1st March 53. Qualified for the Public Service. Received 3 Medals for Merit, one in Oordoo, one in Bengallee, one in Hindee, one in Persian and one for General Diligence and Proficiency. Passed for high proficiency, in Persian 1st April 53, in Hindee, 15th April 53 and in Oordoo, 2nd May 53. Studying for Honors.
1	Clarke, ..	11 Sept. 52,	16 Sept. 52,	Absent on Medical Certificate. Passed in Oordoo, 1st April 53.
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1	Elliot, ..	8 Dec. 49,	2 Jan. 50,	Absent from Calcutta. Passed in Oordoo, 1st October 50.
2	Nairne, ..	3 May 51,	2 June 51,	Absent from Calcutta. Passed in Oordoo, 1st Nov. 51.
	Sanskrit.			
1	Waterfield,	22 Nov. 52,	25 Nov. 52,	Passed for high proficiency. See other remarks in the Bengallee Column.

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PERSIAN.

Nos.	Names.	Date of Admission into College.	Date of Initiatory Examination.	Remarks.
1	Shorwood, ..	2 April 52.	6 April 52.	Passed—Qualified for the Public Service, having passed in Oordoo, 3rd Jan. 53.
2	Willock, ..	4 Feb. 53.	7 Feb. 53.	Not passed in any language.
3	Cockerell, ..	31 May 52.	1 June 52.	Passed in Oordoo, 1st Nov. 52.
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1	Jenkins, ..	5 Dec. 52.	6 Dec. 52.	Passed for high proficiency. Passed in Persian, 1st Feb. 53 and in Oordoo, 1st March 53. Qualified for the Pub. Service. Received a Medal of Merit for General Diligence and Proficiency. Studying for Honors.
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1	Watson, ..	4 Feb. 53.	7 Feb. 53.	Studying at Meerut. Not passed in any language.
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1	Saunders, ..	8 Dec. 51.	15 Dec. 51.	Absent from Calcutta. Not passed in any language.

OORDOO.

Nos.	Names.	Date of Admission into College.	Date of Initiatory Examination.	Remarks.
1	Halsey, ..	19 Mar. 53.	21 Mar. 53.	Passed—Has to pass in a second language.
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1	Mangles, ..	15 July 53.	18 July 53.	Absent on Medical Certificate. Not passed in any language.
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1	Money, ..	4 Feb. 53.	7 Feb. 53.	Studying at Berhampore. Not passed in any language.
2	Drummond,	6 Jan. 53.	7 Jan. 53.	Studying at Mozuffer-pore. Not passed in any language.
3	Tayler, ..	3 Mar. 53.	6 Mar. 53.	Studying at Arrah. Not passed in any language.
	Simson, ..	19 Mar. 53.	21 Mar. 53.	Studying at Noakholly. Not passed in any language.

HINDEE.

Nos.	Names.	Date of Admission into College.	Date of Initiatory Examination.	Remarks.
1	Melville, ..	29 Oct. 52.	1 Nov. 52.	Passed in Persian, 2nd May 53.
2	Plowden, ..	1 Oct. 52.	1 Oct. 52.	Passed in Persian, 1st March 53.
3	Cunliffe, ..	29 Oct. 52.	1 Nov. 52.	Passed in Persian, 3rd Jan. 53.
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1	Chapman, ..	6 Dec. 52.	6 Dec. 52.	Passed in Oordoo, 3rd Jan. 53 and in Bengallee, 1st Mar. 53. Qualified for the Public Service. Received 2 Medals of Merit, one in Oordoo and one for General Diligence and Proficiency. Passed for high proficiency in Oordoo, 1st Mar. 53, in Persian, 1st April 53, and in Bengallee, 1st July 53. Studying for Honors.
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1	Hogg, ..	4 Feb. 53.	7 Feb. 53.	Absent on Medical Certificate. Passed in Persian, 1st July 53.
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1	Thornhill, ..	4 Feb. 53.	7 Feb. 53.	Studying at Agra. Passed in Persian, 25th June 53.
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1	Cuppage, ..	15 Oct. 51.	15 Oct. 51.	Absent from Calcutta. Not passed in any language.

BENGALLEE.

Nos.	Names.	Date of Admission into College.	Date of Initiatory Examination.	Remarks.
1	Herschel, ..	2 Mar. 53.	5 Mar. 53.	Passed—Qualified for the Public Service, having passed in Persian, 1st April 53.
2	Eden, ..	1 June 52.	1 June 52.	Passed—Qualified for the Public Service, having passed in Oordoo, 1st Nov. 52.
3	Ravenshaw,	7 Jan. 53.	10 Jan. 53.	Passed—Qualified for the Public Service, having passed in Oordoo, 2nd May 53.
4	Clarke, ..	11 Sept. 52.	16 Sept. 52.	Passed in Oordoo, 1st April 53.
5	Wigram, ..	15 July 53.	18 July 53.	Not passed in any language.
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1	Waterfield,	22 Nov. 52.	25 Nov. 52.	Passed for high proficiency. Passed in Oordoo, 1st Dec. 52, in Bengallee, 3rd Jan. 53, in Hindee, 1st Feb. 53 and in Persian, 1st March 53. Qualified for the Public Service. Received 5 Medals of Merit, one in Oordoo, one in Bengallee, one in Hindee, one in Persian and one for General Diligence and Proficiency. Passed for high proficiency in Persian, 1st April 53, in Hindee, 13th April 53, in Oordoo, 2nd May 53 and in Sanskrit, 1st July 53. Studying for Honors.
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1	Elliot, ..	8 Dec. 49.	2 Jan. 50.	Absent from Calcutta. Passed in Oordoo, 1st Oct. 50.
2	Nairne, ..	3 May 51.	2 June 51.	Absent from Calcutta. Passed in Oordoo, 1st Nov. 51.
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	Sanskrit.			
1	Waterfield,	22 Nov. 52.	25 Nov. 52.	Studying for Honors. See other remarks in the Bengallee Column.

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PERSIAN.

Nos.	Names	Date of Admission into College.	Date of Initiatory Examination.	Remarks.
1	Cockerell, ..	23 May 52.	1 June 52.	Passed—Has to pass in a third language. Passed in Oordoo, 1st Nov. 53.
* 2	Willock, ..	4 Feb. 53.	7 Feb. 53.	Passed—Has to pass in a second language.
1	Watson, ..	4 Feb. 53.	7 Feb. 53.	Studying at Meerut. Not passed in any language.
1	Saunders, ..	8 Dec. 51.	15 Dec. 51.	Absent from Calcutta. Not passed in any language.

OORDOO.

Nos.	Names.	Date of Admission into College.	Date of Initiatory Examination.	Remarks.
1	Money, ..	4 Feb. 53.	7 Feb. 53.	Passed—Has to pass in a second language.
2	Mangles, ..	16 July 53.	18 July 53.	Not passed in any language.
3	Hay, ..	13 Aug. 53.	15 Aug. 53.	Ditto, ditto.
1	Jenkins, ..	6 Dec. 52.	6 Dec. 52.	Passed in Persian, 1st Feb. 53, and in Oordoo, 1st Mar. 53. Qualified for the Public Service. Received a Medal of Merit, for General Diligence and Proficiency. Passed for high proficiency in Persian 1st Aug. 53. Studying for Honors.
1	Drummond,	6 Jan. 53.	7 Jan. 53.	Studying at Mozufferpore. Passed in Oordoo, 24th Aug. 53.
2	Taylor, ..	3 Mar. 53.	5 Mar. 53.	Studying at Arrah. Not passed in any language.
3	Simson, ..	19 Mar. 53.	21 Mar. 53.	Studying at Nuddeah. Not passed in any language.

HINDEE.

Nos.	Names.	Date of Admission into College.	Date of Initiatory Examination.	Remarks.
1	Melville, ..	29 Oct. 52.	1 Nov. 52.	Passed in Persian, 2nd May 53.
2	Plowden, ..	1 Oct. 52.	1 Oct. 52.	Passed in Persian, 1st March 53.
3	Cunliffe, ..	29 Oct. 52.	1 Nov. 52.	Passed in Persian, 3rd Jan. 53.
1	Chapman, ..	6 Dec. 52.	6 Dec. 52.	Passed for high proficiency. Passed in Oordoo, 3rd Jan. 53, and in Bengallee 1st March 53. Qualified for the Public Service. Received 2 Medals of Merit, one in Oordoo and one for General Diligence and Proficiency. Passed for high proficiency in Oordoo, 1st March 53, in Persian, 1st April 53 and in Bengallee 1st July 53. Studying for Honors.
1	Thornhill, ..	4 Feb. 53.	7 Feb. 53.	Studying at Agra. Passed in Persian, 25th June 53.
	Cuppage, ..	15 Oct. 51.	13 Oct. 51.	Absent from Calcutta. Not passed in any language.
	Hogg, ..	4 Feb. 53.	7 Feb. 53.	Absent from Calcutta. Passed in Persian, 1st July 53.

BENGALLEE.

Nos.	Names.	Date of Admission into College.	Date of Initiatory Examination.	Remarks.
1	Clarke, ..	11 Sept. 52.	16 Sept. 52.	Passed in Oordoo, 1st April 53.
2	Wigram, ..	15 July 53.	18 July 53.	Not passed in any language.
3	Halsey, ..	19 March 53.	21 March 53.	Passed in Oordoo, 1st Aug. 53.
1	Waterfield, ..	22 Nov. 52.	25 Nov. 52.	Passed in Oordoo, 1st Dec. 52, in Bengallee 3rd Jan. 53, in Hindee, 1st Feb. 53 and in Persian 1st March 53. Qualified for the Public Service. Received 5 Medals of Merit, one in Oordoo, one in Bengallee, one in Hindee, one in Persian and one for General Diligence and Proficiency. Passed in for high proficiency in Persian, 1st April 53, in Hindee 15th April 53, in Oordoo 2nd May 53, in Sanskrit, 1st July 53 and in Bengallee 1st Aug. 53. Studying for Honors.
1	Herschel, ..	3 March 53.	6 March 53.	Passed Persian, 1st April 53, and in Bengallee, 1st Aug. 53. Qualified for the Public Service. Studying for Honors.
1	Elliot, ..	8 Dec. 49.	2 Jan. 50.	Absent from Calcutta. Passed in Oordoo, 1st Oct. 50.
2	Nairne, ..	5 May 51.	2 June 51.	Absent from Calcutta. Passed in Oordoo, 1st Nov. 51.
	Sanskrit.			
1	Waterfield, ..	22 Nov. 52.	25 Nov. 52.	Studying for Honors. See other remarks in the Bengallee column.
1	Chapman, ..	6 Dec. 52.	6 Dec. 52.	Studying for Honors. See other remarks in the Hindee column.

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College of Fort William, the 24th October 1853.

WM. N. LEES,
Secy. to the College of Fort William.

Published by Order of the Most Noble the Governor of Bengal,
CECIL BEADON, *Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.*

No. 1772.

Notification.—The 4th October 1853.—With reference to the Notification, No. 1388, dated the 21st July last, which appeared in the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 23rd idem, the following despatch from the Hon'ble the Court of Directors, together with the letter referred to therein, is published for general information.

Public Department.

OUR GOVERNOR GENERAL OF INDIA IN COUNCIL.

No 48 of 1853.—With reference to our Despatch in this Department, dated 24th May last, No. 30, we forward copy of a letter which has been addressed to Her Majesty's Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs by the French Ambassador, stating the decision which has been come to by the Government of His Imperial Majesty in regard to Foreign prohibited goods which may be sent to the Universal Exhibition to be held in Paris in May 1855, and we request that you will give the greatest possible publicity to the liberal intentions of the French Government, as stated in Count Walewski's letter.

We are &c.,

(Sd.) RUSSELL ELLICE,

„ J. OLIPHANT,

and other Directors.

London,
20th July 1853.

[TRANSLATION.]

London, the 22th of June 1853.

To the Right Hon'ble the Earl of Clarendon,

&c., &c., &c.

MY LORD,

With reference to the Universal Exhibition which is to take place at Paris in 1855, several manufacturers have addressed the Minister of the Interior to know, first, whether articles of which the importation is prohibited in France will be admitted at the Exhibition, and secondly, whether on the close of the Exhibition, these articles will be admitted for home consumption, or whether they must be re-exported.

These two questions, my Lord, have received an answer in accordance with the enlightened views which induced the Government of His Majesty the Emperor to decree the Universal Exhibition of 1855. It has been consequently decided, not only that prohibited merchandize shall be admitted to the Exhibition, but also that, after it shall have closed, the exhibitors will have the option either to re-export the said merchandize free of duty, or to enter them for home consumption, on paying a duty of 30 per cent. *ad valorem.*

These conditions will be excluded in the general rules which are now under preparation, but in consequence of the opinions which appear to have been already excited abroad as to the rules affecting prohibited merchandize destined for the Exhibition of Paris in 1855, I have been charged with the honor of informing your Excellency of the resolutions adopted in this respect by the Government of His Majesty the Emperor. Your Excellency will perhaps consider it advisable to give immediate information of this arrangement to the manufacturers and artizans who are subjects of Her Britannic Majesty.

I have the honor to be,

&c., &c.,

(Signad) A. WALEWSKI.

By order of the Most Noble the Governor of Bengal,

CECIL BEADON,

Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

Notification.

WITH reference to the Government Notification No. 34, of the 28th instant, intimating that Notes of the 5 per Cent. Loan of the 30th June 1841, from No. 19001 to the last number in the Register, may be transferred by the Proprietors, on or before the 30th January next, into a new Loan which shall bear Interest at the rate of 4 per Cent. per annum, styled "the 4 per Cent. Loan of 1854-55": It is hereby notified for general information that no transfers to the new Loan will be permitted after the 30th January next.

2nd. When applications for transfer or conditional transfer are made, the Officers authorized to receive such applications, under para. 4 of the Government Notification, will, without delay, calculate the amount of Interest due upon the Promissory Notes presented with them, at the rate of 5 per Cent. per annum, to the date of advertised discharge, viz., the 30th January 1854 inclusive as well as the amount of anticipation Interest, payable under para. 7 of the Government Notification, at 4 per Cent. per annum, from the 31st January to the 29th June 1854, both days inclusive, being exactly five months, according to the Rules in force in the Accountant's Office for the calculation of Interest.

3rd.—The said Officers will then cause receipts for Principal and Interest to be entered on the back of the Notes by the Proprietors or their authorized Agents in the following form:—

4th.—Received the Principal of this Five per Cent. Note by transfer (or conditional transfer as the case may be) to the 4 per Cent. Loan of 1854-55, under the conditions of the Government Notification of the 28th October 1853.

Received the Interest due upon this Note, at the rate of 5 per Cent. per annum, from the to the 30th January 1854, in cash 000-0-0

Received anticipation Interest at 4 per Cent. per annum to the 29th June 1854, in cash 000-0-0

Total,... 000-0-0

and on this being done the amount of the Interest and anticipation Interest will at once be paid.

5th. The applications, together with the Promissory Notes, will then be forwarded to the Deputy Accountant General at Fort William, for the purpose of having the entry referred to in para. 6 of the Government Notification made on the face of the Notes.

6th. The Notes will then be compared with the Registers of the Loan Office, and on their being proved to be genuine and outstanding, the requisite entry will be made, and the Promissory Notes will be returned by the Deputy Accoun-

tant General to the Government Officers from whom they were received for presentation to the Proprietors.

It is declared in the Government Notification that the entry above referred to is "tantamount to the issue of a new Note," and that Interest will be payable on the strength of such entry "at the rate of 4 per Cent. per annum, by half-yearly instalments, on the 31st December and the 30th June."

8th.—When renewal, sub-division, or consolidation of the Notes is applied for, they will be renewed, sub-divided or consolidated by the Deputy Accountant General at Fort William, under the Rules heretofore in use, and fresh Notes will be issued in the following form :—

Fort William, the 30th June 1854.

PROMISSORY NOTE, { Company's 0000 Rupees, } AT 4 PER CENT.

No. *of* 1854-55, *Accountant General's Office.*

The Governor General of India in Council does hereby acknowledge to have received from ——

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the sum of Company's Rupees ——

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as a Loan to the East India Company, and does hereby promise, for and on behalf of the said Company, to repay the said Loan, by paying the said sum of Company's Rupees ——

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Executors, or Administrators, o. ——

their order, on demand, at the General Treasury at Fort William, after the expiration of three months' notice of payment, to be given by the Governor General of India in Council in the *Calcutta Gazette*, and to pay the Interest accruing on the said sum of Company's Rupees ——

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at the rate of Four per Cent. per annum, by half-yearly payments at the General Treasury of Fort William, to the said ——

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Executors, or Administrators, or ——

their Order, until the expiration of three months after such Notice of payment as aforesaid, when the amount of Interest due will be payable with the Principal, and (such Notice being considered as equivalent to a tender of payment at the period appointed for the discharge of this Note) all further Interest shall cease.

Examined,

Accountant General.

By order of the Governor General of India in Council.

Secy. to the Govt.

9th. In making the entries in account, the *Principal* of the Notes transferred will be carried to the debit of the 5 per Cent. Loan of 1841 credit being given for the amount *per contra*, as a transfer to the 4 per Cent. Loan of 1854-55.

10th. All payments on account of *Interest* will be entered under that head.

11th. Applications for payment in *cash* of the Principal of the Notes advertised for discharge will be received only at the general Treasury at Fort William.

C. HUGH LUSHINGTON,
Officiating Deputy Acctt. General, to the Govt. of India.

FORT WILLIAM, *Loan Office, The 29th October* 1853.

Notification.

BILLS at par on the Public Treasuries of the under-mentioned Districts may be had on application to the Accountant to the Government of Bengal :—

DISTRICTS.	*Amount available on this date.*	
Balasore,	50,000	
Bograh,	50,000	
Bullooah,	3,00,000	
Burdwan,	1,80,000	
Cuttack,	2,50,000	
Dinagepore,	60,000	at 6 annas premium.
Jessore,	3,00,000	
Maldah,	20,000	at 4 annas premium.
Midnapore,	50,000	
Pubna,	50,000	
Purneah,	90,000	
Sylhet,	50,000	
Tipperah,	2,50,000	

C. HUGH LUSHINGTON,
Offg. Accountant to the Govt. of Bengal.

Accountant's Office, Revenue Department, The 25th Oct. 1853.

Notice.

THE General Treasury will be closed on Wednesday the 9th and Thursday the 10th proximo, on account of the Hindoo holidays, Juggodhatree Poojah, and also Monday the 14th and Tuesday the 15th proximo, on account of the Kartick Poojah.

J. I. HARVEY,
Sub-Treasurer.

General Treasury, the 28th October 1853.

CIVIL AUDITOR'S OFFICE.

Fort William, the 26th October 1853.

NOTICE.—All Officers of the respective Departments, Civil, Military, or Marine, who may have Salary or other Bills to submit to the Office of the Civil Auditor, are requested to have them prepared on a half or a full sheet of foolscap paper, as circumstances may admit, and to have the vouchers and certificates in support of them entered, when practicable, at the foot or on the back of the Bills, instead of being separately attached to them. Inattention to this notice will occasion the Bills to be returned unaudited.

W. P. PALMER,
Civil Auditor.

Memorandum.

Town Major's Office,
Fort William, The 28th October 1853.

THE NEW SORTIE, leading from the Plassey Gate to the South-east end of the Old Course, will be opened to the Public, as an entrance into the Garrison for Carriages, from Sunday next, the 6th proximo.

From the above date, the CHOWRINGHEE SORTIE of the Fort will be rendered available for the exit of Carriages from the Garrison, instead of the entrance as at present.

A. SPENS, *Lieut.-Colonel,*
Officiating Town Major

ADVERTISEMENT OF THE SOONDERBUN COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE.

NOTICE is hereby given that the pottahs of the under-mentioned Government Grants, situated in the limits of the Soonderbuns, in 24-Pergunnahs, will be put up for public sale at Noon, on Wednesday the 16th November 1853, corresponding with the 2nd Augran 1260 B. S., at the Office of the Commissioner in the Soonderbuns, Allipore.

2nd.—The highest bidder will be entitled to them, and must immediately pay to the Commissioner of the Soonderbuns the full amount of his purchase-money. The pottahs will be drawn up in his name, and made over to him with the confirmation of Government, and he will become the Grantee of the said Grant under the conditions prescribed in the pottah.

3rd.—It is further notified, that intending purchasers, who may wish to see the Map of the Grant, and desire to obtain any particulars connected with it and its present state, can learn the same by attending either personally or through their Agent at the Office of the Commissioner. These conditions and particulars will be proclaimed at the time of sale.

Number of Lots.		Roqubah.
106	.....	20,900
110	.....	31,000
111	.....	60,000
112	.....	29,000
113	.....	26,000
114	.....	62,000
115	.....	38,000
135	.....	28,000
140	.....	18,000
163	.....	38,000
168	.....	21,000
99	.....	21,000

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Commissioner.

Soonderbun's Comsnr.'s Office,
Allipore,
The 29th October 1853.

সন্দরবনের কমিসানরের দফুরখানার
ইস্তাহার।

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১১১ নং	..	..	..	৬০০০০
১১২ নং	..	..	..	২৯০০০
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NOTICE.—Mean Time was this day shown to the Shipping in the River, from the Semaphore Tower in the Fort, half a Second (½s.) before Mean Noon.

A. SPENS, *Lieut.-Colonel,*
Officiating Town Major.

Fort William, 28th October 1853.

General Post Office Notifications.

Export Overland Mail vid Southampton and Marseilles, per P. and O. Co.'s Steamer "Bombay," direct from Calcutta.

NOTICE is hereby given, for general information, that the Mails for Suez and the intermediate Ports, (Madras, Ceylon, Aden, Penang, Singapore and Hong-Kong,) intended for transmission by the Peninsular and Oriental Company's Steam-vessel *Bombay*, will be closed at this Office on Friday, the 4th proximo.

No after-Packet will be made up for the above vessel.

J. R. BURLTON BENNETT,
Deputy Post-master General, in Charge

Calcutta, General Post Office,
The 20th October 1853.

NOTICE is hereby given, that in consequence of the departure of the Steamer "Pekin" having been postponed, the Mails for Penang, Singapore and Hong-Kong will be closed at this Office to-morrow, the 1st proximo.

J. R. BURLTON BENNETT,
Deputy Post-master General, in Charge.

Fort William,
General Post Office,
The 28th October 1853.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Mails for Akyab, Kyouk Phyoo, Rangoon and Moulmein, for transmission per H. C. Steamer "*Tenasserim*," will be closed at this Office, on Friday the 4th Instant.

J. R. BURLTON BENNETT,
Deputy Post-master General, in Charge.

Fort William,
General Post Office,
The 1st November 1853.

THE Public are informed, that the Overland Expresses between Bombay and Calcutta will be discontinued from this date.

J. R. BURLTON BENNETT,
Deputy Post-master General, in Charge.

Calcutta,
General Post Office,
The 31st August 1853.

LIST of Remaining Letters and Parcels Unclaimed which accumulated from the Months of January to March 1853.

S.

Spencer, the Revd J Leigh—Care of P J Paul, Esq. Solicitor Civil Court, Calcutta, E I.
Schleicher, the Revd J T—Mission Arrapore, Cawnpore.
Stratton, Coll F—3rd Bengal Cavly, Bengal.
Sanderson, Capt W E (2 letters)—Str "Satellite," Calcutta.
Swinton, Esq George—Madras Civil Service, Calcutta.
Shand, Esq Jas (2 letters)—Kishnaghur.
Sadler, Lieutt A G—H M's 53rd Regt, Bengal.
Shakespear, Esq A—Calcutta.
Styles, Esq Wm—On Board the "Prince of Wales," or to the Care of Gillander, Arbuthnot and Co. Calcutta.
Smith, Esq W R—Babygunge Factory, Kishnaghur.
Smith, Lieutt J H—H M's 78th Royal Irish, Burmah.
Savi, Esq J H—Ramnuggur, Plassey.
Stewart, Esq A M &c &c—Dum Dum, Bengal.
Stokes, Dr—Senr Surgn Nizam's Army, Ellichpore.
Spear, Esq J W (2 letters)—Bancoorah.
Steel, Capt H—Comdr Str "Mirzapore," Allahabad.
Stewart, Esq W M—Nohatta *vid* Magoora.
Smith, Capt S—at Wilson's Hotel, Calcutta.
Smith, Esq Adam Hume—Dickdangah Factory, Jessore.
Swinton, Esq J M—Asst Judge of Coombacanum.
Soutel, Capt S T (2 letters)—Care of Messrs Eglinton and Co, India.
Sinclair, Miss Catherine—Care of Mr Fordyce, Bottakhana, Calcutta.
Stewart, Mrs E—Santipore.
Southgate, Mrs (2 letters)—at Mrs Reid's, Sheriff's office, Sootcekin's Lane, Cossitollah, Calcutta.
Shleicher, Mrs C—Cawnpore, East India.
Scott, Mrs—Post Office, Burhee.
Sage, Mrs R—at C Mackintosh, Esq, Calcutta, E I.
Sanders, Mrs A M—at the Diamond Harbour Station.
Sirra, Mrs—Care of Mrs Hanison, Calcutta.
Shortrede, Mrs Robt (2 letters)—Passenger per P and O Co's Steamer "Bentinck" to await arrival, Diamond Harbour.
Stevens, Mr Wm—Custom House, Calcutta.
Sabrino, Esq G—Cossitollah, Calcutta.
Shouldham, Mr W J—E Telegraph, Kedgree.
Stone, Mrs E—Mowmain.
Seth, Esq [illegible] to be kept at the Post Office until called for, Calcutta. Calcutta.
Syers, Mrs J D—[illegible] Sloot Boy[illegible]ees" at Dinapore.
Stenton, Esq F S [illegible]
Sutherland, Mr [illegible]s—a. Mr Arman, Tank Square, Calcutta.
Simon, Mr Antho[illegible] Care of Geo Jaford Simon, Singapore.
Spain, Mr E—Sloop "Luckie Blas," Reef Head, Care of G H B Batcher, Esq, Post Master, Kedgree.
Smith, John—Ship "Appoline," Calcutta.
Southworth, William—Kay St Port William, Bombay.
Smith, Esq A H (2 letters)—Roodapore Factory, Maulnath.
Smyth, Serjt P—Comst Dept, Fer[illegible]epore.
Shephard, Mr Wm—East India Co's Service, Calcutta.
Storey, Serjt Major—Horse Artillery, 4th Division Bengal.
Southers, W John Port William, Bombay, Kay St Warehouse, East Indies.
Saunders, Thos—Seaman H M S Vessel "Sphinx," Hongkong.
Sullivan, Michael—No 2,672, Private, No 6 Company, H M's 18th Regt, Calcutta.
Simon, and Co Messrs (2 letters)—Calcutta.
Slinger, Esq F—Allahabad.
Shama Churn Ghose—C[illegible]ppan.
Sreenauth Banerjie, Ba[illegible]—Comst Godown Gomasta, Care of Capt C M FitzGerald, Dy Ass. Comy General, Rangoon.
Sheedum Chunder Dhur—Calcutta.
Surreephun,—Hanow Servant's Wife, Comeedan ka Bazar, Kidderpore.
Spinner, Mr George—Barque "Abouker," care of Messrs Eglington and Co, Calcutta.
Stephenson Mr Robert (2 letters)—Sail-maker of the Ship "Athelston," Calcutta, Care of Captn Hickman.
Sutherland, John—Ship "Bengal," Anderson and Co Calcutta, East Indies.
Smith, John—Pantry boy, on board the "Blenheim."
Smith, Mr Robert—2nd Officer, Ship "Bengal," Commercial Company, Calcutta.
Shrubsheil, Mr—3rd Officer Ship "Ganges."
Simpson, Mr Wm—Ship "John Bibby."
Stanger, Mr James—(2 letters)—Ship "Isabella Hurcus."
Steven, Peter—(Sailor) on board the "John Fielding."
Skipton, Esq S S (M D)—(Surgeon) Ship "Maidstone."
Smith, Mr Robert—Ship "Mircator."
Sparshall, George—Ship "Parland."
Smith, Mr Wm—Ship "Shah Allum."
Strathem, Geo—Ship "Sutlej."
Seamour, Wm Gill—Barque "Jona."
Siveti, Mr Montagu—Ship "Wellesley."
Smith, Mrs Maria—Depot H M 80th Regt. Dum Dum.
Shaik, Mahomed been Abdool Alim Bandfa—Calcutta.

(To be continued.)

J. R. BURLTON BENNETT,
Deputy Post-master General, in charge.

Fort William,
General Post Office,
20th October 1853.

Report showing the smallest Depth of Water in the Bhaugirattee, Jellinghee and Matabangah Rivers, on the 22nd October 1853.

Names of Rivers.	*Smallest Depth of Water.*		*Where Shallowest.*
Bhaugirattee River.	*Feet.*	*Ins.*	
At its entrance, ...	12	0	
Below the entrance, ...	9	0	
From thence to Jungypore, ...	5	6	At Futtoollapore.
From Jungypore to Sadduebaugh, ...	8	3	„ Dufferpore.
From Sadduebaugh to Berhampore, ...	5	0	„ Berhampore.
From Berhampore to Cutwa. ...	6	0	„ Ohoolah.
And from Cutwa to Nuddeah, ...	8	0	„ Kobeerajepore.
Jellinghee River.			
At its entrance, ...	6	6	
From thence to Bausemarree, ...	5	0	At Dyrampore.
From Bausemarree to Teeahkattah, ...	6	9	„ Saddypore.
From Teeahkattah to Sonatullah, ...	10	6	„ Allooparrah.
And from Sonatullah to Moisgunge, ...	7	3	„ Sumboonugghur.
Matabangah River.			
At its entrance, ...	11		
From thence to Haut Bolecah, ...	8	0	At Sudasibpore.
From Haut Bolecah to Karchikattah, ...	10	6	„ Bolcah.
From Katchikattah to Kishengunge, ...	17	3	„ Kistopore.
And from Kishengunge to Seebpore,	12	3	„ Goyee.

Height of water on Gauge at Berhampore on the 23rd October 1853, + 10 feet 10 inches.

J. Lang,
Supdt. Nuddea Rivers.

Kishnaghur, 22nd Oct. 1853.

PURSUANT to a decree of the Supreme Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal, made in a cause wherein Robert Townsend Allan and James Mackintosh the younger, Administrators of Robert Hastie, deceased, are complainants, and James Pelham McKilligin, Archibald Hastie and John Cameron are Defendants,—All persons claiming to be creditors or legatees of James Hastie, formerly of Calcutta, Merchant, deceased, (who died in or about the month of April 1848,) are forthwith to come in and prove their claims before John Cochrane, Esquire, the Acting Master of the said Supreme Court, at his Office in the Court House, on or before the 3rd day of December next, or in default thereof they will be peremptorily excluded from the benefit of the said decree.

John Cochrane,
Acting Master.

Judge, Vrignon and Newmarch,
Complainant's Attornies.

Calcutta,
Supreme Court, Master's Office,
The 3rd October 1853.

Education Notice.

The next Meeting of the Committee appointed for the examination of Candidates for promotion and employment in the Education Department, will be held in the Hindu College on Saturday, the 5th of November 1853.

Detailed particulars of the nature and extent of the examination, the number of vacancies in the Department, &c., &c., will be afforded by the Secretary to the Council of Education to all Candidates on personal application.

(By order,)
Fred. J. Mouat,
Secy., Council of Education.

Court for the Relief of Insolvent Debtors at Calcutta.

In the matter of Bebee Peary Khannum, Mahomedan, an Inhabitant of Collingah in Calcutta, and Insolvent.

On Saturday, the 22nd day of October instant, it was ordered that that the hearing in this matter shall be on the 3rd day of December next, and that the said Insolvent do then attend to be examined by the said Court.

In the matter of William Holland, late carrying on business as an Indigo Planter and Manufacturer, in copartnership with Baboo Muttyloll Seal, at the Cheynpore Factories, Shahabad, in the Province of Behar, subsequently carrying on the same business as proprietor of that concern, more recently manager of the Boychuprah Indigo Concern, in the District of Monghyr, in the Province of Behar, and at present without employment, residing at Sooterkin's Lane in Calcutta, an Insolvent.

On Tuesday, the 25th day of October instant, it was ordered that the hearing in this matter shall be on the 3rd day of December next, and that the said Insolvent do then attend to be examined by the said Court.

Robertson, *Attorney.*

Chief Clerk's Office, 28th October 1853.

Peninsular and Oriental Company's Office,
Colvin's Ghaut,
Calcutta, November 1st 1853.

Being about to proceed to England, I have resigned the Office of Agent and Superintendent of the Peninsular and Oriental Steam Navigation Company in Calcutta, and Captain Henry Preston Lovell, under authority of the Directors, will from this day assume charge as Agent and Superintendent.

Arbuthnot Emerson.

NOTICE.—The interest and responsibility of Mr. Thomas Muir in our Co-partnership firms of Alexander Cullen and Co., of London, and of Cullen, Muir and Co., of Calcutta, ceased on the 31st October 1853.

ALEXANDER CULLEN AND CO.
CULLEN, MUIR AND CO.

Calcutta, 1st Nov. 1853.

Notice.

THE interest and responsibility of Mr. August Kaufmann ceased in our firm on the 30th April last.

WIENHOLT BROTHERS & Co.

Calcutta, 20th October 1853.

NOTICE.—The undersigned will henceforth conduct business for the sale of COTTON and other PIECE-GOODS, MULE-TWIST, &c., under the firm of THOMAS ADAMES and Co.

THOMAS ADAMES.

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Government Acceptances, do.,	3	„ „

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On Deposit of Goods	5	„ „

On Accounts of Credit, ½ per Cent. in excess of the above rates respectively.

WM. GREY,
Secy. & Treasurer.

Bank of Bengal,
8th September 1853.

LOST, a Company's Paper, No. 46164 of 1841-42, for Co.'s Rs. 500.

THOS. LAIDLAW.

LOST.—Second Halves of 2 Bank of Bengal Notes, Nos. 32741 and 26357, for Co.'s Rs. 50 each, the payment of which has been stopped at the Bank.

AUDORAM KUNGSBURNICK.

LOST.—Following Halves of Bengal Bank-notes.

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„ 5550
„ 21231 } For 100 Rupees each.
„ 17816
„ 36655

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NOTIFICATION.

The 14th May 1853.

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CECIL BEADON,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

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SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 5, 1853.

Legislative Enactments.

Passed Act.

Fort William, Home Department, Legislative.
The 21st October 1853.

The following Act passed by the Governor General of India in Council on the 21st October 1853, is hereby promulgated for general information.

ACT No. XIV. OF 1853.

An Act for regulating the collection and distribution of the Effects of Officers, Seamen and others dying in the Marine Service of the East India Company called the Indian Navy.

WHEREAS it has been deemed expedient, in pursuance of the Provisions of an Act passed in a Session of Parliament holden in the 3rd and 4th years of the reign of Her Majesty Queen Victoria, to provide for the due collection, conversion into money, application, remittance and distribution of the effects of Officers, Engineers, Soldiers, Marines, Seamen and all others belonging to the Marine Establishment of the East India Company called the Indian Navy, who shall die in the Service of the said Company out of the United Kingdom, and for the discharge of their marine debts, It is enacted as follows :

I. When any Commissioned Officer belonging to the Indian Navy shall die in the Service of the East India Company out of the United Kingdom, whether his death shall take place on board Ship or on shore, the First Lieutenant of the Ship or Vessel to which such Officer belonged at the time of his death, or the Officer of such Ship or Vessel next in rank to the Commander thereof, or the Commander himself if there is no other Commissioned Officer on board, or any Officer he may appoint, shall immediately secure all the effects and equipage of the deceased on board the said Ship or Vessel, or on shore in quarters, and any other effects of the deceased within the territorial possessions of the East India Company which the Commander of such Ship or Vessel shall direct or authorize to be collected or secured, and shall with all convenient speed, and not later than one month after the death of the Officer, with the assistance of two other Officers not under the rank of Purser or of Clerk in charge, such Clerk having served not less than two years at sea, to be appointed by the Commanding Officer of the said Ship or Vessel, make an inventory thereof, and transmit that inventory together with an account of the debts and credits to the Office of the Secretary to the Government of the Presidency of Bombay in the Marine Department, to the end that after payment of such Officer's marine or ship debts and the expenses of his interment where any shall have been incurred, the overplus if any shall be paid over by the said Secretary to the legal representatives of the Officer so deceased as hereinafter mentioned.

II. When any Non-commissioned Officer, Seaman or other person belonging to or serving in the Indian Navy shall die out of the United Kingdom in the Service of the East India Company, whether his death shall take place on board Ship or on shore, the First Lieutenant of the Ship or Vessel to which such Non-commissioned Officer, Seaman or other person belonged at the time of his death, or the Officer of such Ship or Vessel next in rank to the Commander thereof, or the Commander himself if there be no other Commissioned Officer on board, or any Officer he may appoint, shall immediately secure all the effects and equipage of the deceased on board the said Ship or Vessel, or on shore in quarters, and any other effects of the deceased within the territorial possessions of the East India Company which the Commander of the Ship or Vessel shall direct or authorize to be collected or secured, and shall with all convenient speed, not later than one month after the death, in the presence of two other Officers of the rank in the preceding section mentioned, to be appointed by the Commander of the said Ship or Vessel, take an inventory thereof and of his credits, and shall take care that the same be applied in the first instance to the liquidation of his marine or ship debts, the remainder, if any, to be paid over to the Secretary to the Government of Bombay in the Marine Department, in order that the same may be paid to the legal representatives of the deceased.

III. When any such Commissioned or Non-commissioned Officer or Seaman, or other person shall at the time of his death as aforesaid have been detached temporarily from his own Ship and shall be serving with another Ship at a distance from his own, the Officers of the Ship in which the deceased was serving, as well as the Officers of the Ship to which the deceased belonged, at the time of his death, shall act in manner above directed in Sections I. and II. of this Act.

IV. *If any Commissioned Officer, or Non-commissioned Officer, Seaman, or other person belonging to or serving in the Indian Navy shall die within the Presidency of Bombay, away from the Ship or Vessel to which he belongs, except when temporarily serving with another Ship, the Commander-in-Chief of the Indian Navy shall in such case appoint a Committee consisting of such three Officers as he*

may direct, to secure the effects of the deceased, or such of them as he may direct, and to apply the same and act in regard thereto as in the first and second Sections of this Act mentioned.

V. The said First Lieutenant and other Officers to be selected and appointed for the purposes aforesaid, are hereby required to take upon them the said duty and faithfully discharge the same and in all respects conform to the provisions and regulations hereinafter particularly specified.

VI. The effects and credits, within the territories under the Government of the East India Company, of Deserters from the Indian Navy, shall be collected and applied in like manner in payment of their marine or ship debts, and the remainder, if any, shall be brought to the credit of the said Company.

VII. It shall be lawful for the Officers, or other persons so authorized as aforesaid, to secure and collect the effects or any part of the effects of any such deceased Officer, Seaman or other person so dying as aforesaid, to ask, demand and receive any such effects to which his authority shall extend, and to commence, prosecute and carry on any actions or suits for the recovery thereof, and to sell and dispose of or otherwise deal with the same without taking out any letters of administration, either with any will annexed or otherwise, in every respect as if such Officers or persons employed or authorized as aforesaid had been appointed executors, and had proved the will or had taken out administration of such effects; and no Administrator General, Registrar of any Court in the East Indies, or any person acting under the appointment or authority of such Court *ad colligenda* or otherwise, shall in any manner interpose in relation to any such effects unless required or authorized so to do by any such Officer or person so authorized as aforesaid.

VIII. All sums of money due by deceased Officers, Engineers, Marines, Seamen, and other persons belonging to or serving in the Indian Navy, to the Indian Navy Fund, or in respect of mess-bills unadjusted since the last regular issue of pay-bills, or in respect of Military or Marine clothing appointments, or of equipments or other articles supplied from the Ship's stores, or of servants' wages due, or of any Ship expenses during the current month, or of any sanatarium or hospital charges, or of any mess or marine or ship accounts, and all sums of money due to any agent or Pay-master or Purser, or any other Officer upon any such account, or on account of any advance made for any such purpose, and also any charges or expenses attending or relating to the illness or funeral of any such Officer, Seaman or other person, shall be deemed and taken to be marine or ship debts, and shall be paid out of any arrears of pay or allowances, or out of any prize or bounty money, or the equipage, goods, chattels and effects of any Officer, Seaman or other person dying out of the United Kingdom while in the Service of the said Company, in preference to any other debts claims or demands whatsoever upon the estate and effects of such Officer, Seaman or other person, and if any doubt shall arise as to whether any claim or demand made in relation to any Officer, Seaman or other person is a marine or ship debt or not, or whether such charges or expenses attending or relating to the illness or funeral of such Officer, Seaman or other person are proper to be allowed, or whether any such marine or ship debts remain due, such question shall be decided and concluded by any order or certificate to be made by the Secretary to the Government, and all such payments shall be good and valid in law; and every person who shall make any such payment out of any such arrears of pay, effects, or proceeds aforesaid under the provisions of this Act, or in pursuance of any such order or certificate of such Marine Secretary, or into whose hands any such money shall come, shall be and is hereby indemnified for and in respect of such payments, and all other acts, matters and things done in pursuance of the provisions of this Act, or of the order or certificate of the said Secretary in relation to the distribution of such assets, anything in any Act or Acts or law or laws to the contrary notwithstanding.

IX. All such marine or ship debts shall and may be paid without probate of any will or any letters of administration, and the surplus only of such arrears of pay or allowances, prize or bounty money, equipage, goods and chattels, or the proceeds thereof, shall be deemed the personal Estate of the deceased for the payment of duty in respect of any probate or of any letters of administration or for the purpose of distribution as personal estate, and it shall be lawful for the said Secretary to order and direct the payment or distribution of any such surplus, in any case in which the same shall not exceed Five hundred Company's rupees, without any probate or letters of administration, or payment of any duty of stamps or upon legacies or otherwise, and it shall also be lawful for any Pay-master or other person to issue any sum not exceeding the value of Five hundred Company's rupees which may be due to any such deceased Officer, Seaman, or other person unto the widow or relative of any such Officer, Seaman or other person, or unto the representative or representatives of any such widow or relative in India in like manner, without any probate or letters of administration or payment of any duty of stamps, or upon legacies or otherwise, the same to be paid to the person who shall be notified by the said Secretary as aforesaid as being entitled thereto, and all such payments respectively shall be as valid and effectual to all intents and purposes, as if the same had been made by or to any executor or administrator or under the authority of any probate or letters of administration, anything in any Act or Acts or law or laws to the contrary notwithstanding.

X. Any such effects, or the proceeds or surplus of such effects of any Officer, Seaman or other person so dying, when remitted to any person under any order of the Secretary to the Government of Bombay, or to such Secretary, shall not by reason of coming to the hands of such person or Secretary be taken to be assets or effects in the place to which such proceeds or surplus may be remitted, so as to render it necessary that administration should be taken out in respect thereof, and it shall be lawful for the Secretary to the Government of Bombay to order that such effects or the proceeds or surplus of any such effects shall be remitted to any other place in India where the same can more conveniently be paid over to the person or persons entitled thereto, and the obedience to the orders of such Secretary in respect to the payment and disposal of any such effects, proceeds or surplus of such effects shall be a discharge from all actions, suits and demands in respect thereof, to any person to whose hands any such effects, proceeds or surplus shall have come, and which shall have been paid and disposed of under the order of such Secretary.

XI. The effects or the proceeds or surplus of effects of any such Officer, Seaman or other person dying as aforesaid, which shall remain after satisfying such marine or ship debts as aforesaid, shall with all convenient speed be transmitted to such Secretary as aforesaid, by the Officer or person employed or required to take care of, collect and receive the same, and such Secretary shall cause the same or the surplus thereof remaining after satisfying such debts, and after and subject to such payment and application as is hereinbefore authorized, to be paid to the executor or legal representative (if in India) of such Officer, Seaman or other person, or if such executor or legal representative shall not be in India, or shall not within twelve months from the death of such Officer, Seaman or other person claim such surplus, then and in that case such Secretary shall remit the said surplus to the Court of Directors of the East India Company in London, to be by them paid to the executor or legal representative of such Officer, Seaman

or other person so deceased, and such remittance at the end of twelve months as aforesaid, shall be a discharge to such Secretary from all actions, suits and demands in respect of such surplus; provided always that the Registrars of Her Majesty's several Supreme Courts in India shall not, nor shall the Administrator General of either of the said Presidencies, be required or entitled to take out letters of administration with the will annexed, or otherwise in respect of such surplus.

XII. The provisions of this Act are intended to apply and shall apply only to European Officers and Seamen, and to other persons being Europeans belonging to the Indian Navy, who may die as aforesaid.

XIII. And whereas the Governor in Council of Bombay made certain Rules, bearing date 27th July 1844, to be observed on the decease of European Officers and European Seamen belonging to the Indian Naval Service, purporting to be Rules made in pursuance of the provisions of the said Act of the 3rd and 4th Victoria and the Articles of War thereto annexed, and which Rules have been acted upon, it is hereby enacted that the said Rules shall no longer be acted upon, but that all acts heretofore done within any part of the territories under the Government of the East India Company, which were authorized by the said Rules, shall be deemed to be valid, and that no act thereby authorized to be done shall be questioned in any court of justice in any part of the territories under the Government of the East India Company.

GEO. PLOWDEN,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of India.

Passed Act.

Fort William, Home Department, Legislative, The 28th October 1853.

THE following Act passed by the Governor General of India in Council, on the 28th October 1853, is hereby promulgated for general information.

ACT No. XV. OF 1853.

An Act for the amendment of Procedure in cases of regular appeal to the Sudder Courts the presidency of Fort William in Bengal.

WHEREAS it is desirable to simplify and shorten the procedure in regular appeals to the Courts of Sudder Dewanny Adawlut in the said Presidency; It is enacted as follows:—

I. Act IV. 1850, and Sections II., III. and IV. Act XXX. 1850, are hereby repealed, except as to appeals presented before the passing of this Act.

II. *Clause 1st.*—Every petition of regular appeal in a case appealable to either of the said Sudder Courts shall be presented to the Court in which the decision was passed within six weeks from the day of the decision. Such petition of appeal shall, except in cases of petitions under Section XIII. of this Act, contain only notice that the party, being dissatisfied with the decision, is desirous of appealing from it.

Clause 2nd.—The Sudder Court may extend the time for presenting such petition of appeal to the lower Court, upon being satisfied that there is sufficient cause for such extension of time. The application for such extension of time may be made directly to the Sudder Court, or through the intervention of the lower Court, at the option of the applicant.

III. On presentation of a petition of regular appeal to the Court, in which the decision was passed, notice thereof to the respondent, as well as a proclamation to the same effect, shall immediately issue from that Court; and a copy of the proclamation shall be forthwith fixed up in some conspicuous part of the Court House of the said Court. If the notice cannot be personally served, the proclamation shall at once be fixed upon the door of the respondent's dwelling house, or in some conspicuous place in the village or place where he usually resides; or in cases in which the respondent shall not have a fixed residence within the jurisdiction of the Company's Courts, the proclamation may be fixed upon the door of his house of business or cutcherry, or the notice may be served on his known local agent. In case the proclamation cannot be fixed or the notice served in the manner above-mentioned, the proclamation shall be fixed up in such other place, if any, as the said last mentioned Court shall direct. The nazir shall make a return to the Court stating when and where the notice and proclamation have been served or fixed up. The return of the nazir shall be filed in Court and shall form part of the record of the case, and such return shall be published by fixing up the same in some conspicuous part of the Court House of the lower court.

IV. *Clause 1st.*—The Rule in Section XI. Regulation VI. 1793, which directs copies of all original papers transmitted to the Sudder Court with the record of an appealed case to be made out and deposited in the Court in lieu of the originals, is hereby modified, and it shall be necessary to copy, authenticate and deposit only the exhibits in the case, and also any other papers of importance, including the pleadings, or any parts of them which either of the parties shall require to be copied, authenticated and deposited in the lower Court previously to their being transmitted to the Sudder Court.

Clause 2nd.—If either of the parties require any papers to be copied, authenticated and deposited, such party shall either by himself or his pleader or authorized agent give notice in writing thereof to the lower court, before the expiration of fourteen days from the time of the publication of the return of the nazir as aforesaid. Such notice shall specify the papers which the party requires to be copied authenticated and deposited.

Clause 3rd.—Either party may by himself or his pleader or authorized agent before the presentation of an appeal give notice in writing to the lower court specifying any papers or documents which he requires to be copied, authenticated and deposited, in the event of an appeal being preferred.

V. The petition of appeal together with the record of the lower court shall be certified to the Sudder Court as soon as conveniently may be after the presentation of the petition of appeal. Provided that the same shall not be certified within the time allowed to the parties for specifying the papers which they desire to be copied, authenticated and deposited.

VI. On arrival of the appeal record at the Sudder Court, notice shall be affixed in the Court House of the said Court, requiring the appellant to file, within six weeks from the date thereof, his grounds of objection to the decision of the court below. Within the said space of six weeks the appellant shall file in the said Sudder Court his grounds of objection to the decision.

VII. *Clause 1st.*—On the filing of the grounds of objection by the appellant, notice shall be affixed in the Court House of the Sudder Court requiring the respondent to file his grounds of objection, if any, to the appeal or to the decision of the lower court within four weeks from the date of such notice.

Clause 2nd.—Within the said space of four weeks, the respondent shall file any grounds of objection which he has to the appeal, or which relate to such parts of the decision as are involved in the appeal.

Clause 3rd.—If the respondent shall desire to object to any part of the decision of the lower court not involved in the appeal, he may present a separate petition of appeal to the Sudder Court within the said space of four weeks, or within such further time as the said Sudder Court shall allow for that purpose.

Clause 4th.—The respondent shall in such case file with his petition of appeal his grounds of objection to that part of the decision to which his appeal relates, otherwise his appeal shall not be received.

VIII. *Clause 1st.*—At the expiration of the time allowed to the respondent for filing his grounds of

objection and for filing a separate petition of appeal in the Sudder Court, the record shall be deemed complete and the case ready to be called up for decision on any day which the Sudder Court may notify, unless the respondent within such time file a separate petition of appeal in the Sudder Court.

Clause 2nd.—If the respondent file a separate petition of appeal in the Sudder Court, notice shall be fixed up in the Court House of the Sudder Court to the effect that the respondent has filed such separate appeal, and the notice shall require the appellant to file any grounds of objection which he may have thereto, within the space of four weeks from the date of the notice.

Clause 3rd.—Within such space of four weeks the appellant may file any grounds of objection which he has to such appeal, which relate to that part of the decision which is involved in the respondent's appeal. At the expiration of the time allowed for filing such grounds of objection by the appellant, the record shall be deemed complete, and the case ready to be called up for decision on any day which the Sudder Court shall notify for that purpose.

Clause 4th.—If the appeal of either party be dismissed or withdrawn, the appeal of the other may be heard alone: otherwise the two appeals and the proceedings thereon shall form one record, unless the Sudder Court shall otherwise order.

IX. The respondent shall not be allowed to present a separate petition of appeal in the Sudder Court, if he shall previously have presented a petition of appeal to the lower court.

X. *Clause 1st.*—All grounds of objection which shall be filed by either the appellant or the respondent, shall be stated distinctly and concisely without any argument or narrative of facts, and shall be numbered consecutively, and except in the cases herein-after-mentioned, shall be on paper bearing the stamp duty prescribed by Article 9, Schedule B, Regulation X. 1829.

Clause 2nd.—The Sudder Court may extend the time for filing grounds of objection either by an appellant or respondent upon special application for that purpose, and upon sufficient reasons being shown to the satisfaction of the said Court for such extension of time. In such case the objections may be filed within such extended time.

XI. Either party may, by leave of the Sudder Court or any judge thereof, at any time before the hearing, amend his grounds of objection or add grounds of objection to those filed, upon such terms and conditions, and within such time as the said Court or judge may order. The said Court may also, upon the hearing of any appeal, allow either party to amend his grounds of objection, or to add further grounds, or to urge and be heard by himself or his pleader in support of any objection not included in his grounds of objection, upon such terms and conditions as to postponement of the cause, and as to the payment of costs or otherwise, as the Court shall think just, to prevent the opposite party or his pleader from being taken by surprise or otherwise. Without such leave of the Court, neither party shall be allowed to urge or be heard in support of any objection not included in his grounds of objection filed. But the Court shall not be confined to such grounds of objection on deciding the cause.

XII. *Clause 1st.*—The Sudder Court may call up for hearing and decision on any day the Court shall notify, and without regard to the place in which the case stands in the general list of appeals, any grounds of objection filed by the respondent or the appellant to the appeal of the opposite party and the Sudder Court may hear and decide upon such grounds of objection before calling the case up for decision upon the grounds of objection to the decision of the lower court.

Clause 2nd.—If the grounds of objection filed by the appellant, and respondent, shall be upon points of law only, and shall not raise any question of fact, the Sudder Court may order the case to be called up for hearing and decision on any day which the said Court shall notify, without regard to the place in which it stands in the general list of appeals pending in the said Court.

Clause 3rd.—If the grounds of objection filed shall raise questions of law and fact, and it shall appear to the Sudder Court that the decision of the law may render it unnecessary to determine any question of fact so raised, the Court may order the case to be called up for decision upon the law alone, in the first instance, in the manner pointed out in the last preceding Section, and if their decision of the case upon the law shall render it unnecessary to determine any question of fact, the said Court shall pass a final decision in the case, otherwise the Court shall determine the law only, and the case shall be afterwards set down in the list of regular appeals for hearing upon the question or questions of fact and shall be determined in the same manner as any other regular appeal.

XIII. If any party to a regular suit be desirous of being admitted to appeal *in formâ pauperis* to the Sudder Court, the following procedure shall be adopted.

Clause 1st.—The appellant shall present his petition to the lower court according to the rules prescribed by Section II. of this Act. Provided that a petition to appeal *in formâ pauperis* against any decision passed before this Act shall come into operation, may be presented within three months from the day of the decision.

Clause 2nd.—Petitions of appeal by parties desirous to appeal *in formâ pauperis* shall contain a statement to that effect, and also a Schedule of the whole real and personal property belonging to the petitioner, and the estimated value of such property, and shall be written on paper bearing the stamp duty of two Rupees per sheet.

Clause 3rd.—Upon the presentation of such petition, the notice to the respondent and the proclamation shall state that the appellant desires to appeal *in formâ pauperis*.

Clause 4th.—On arrival of the appeal record at the Sudder Court, the same procedure shall be adopted in that Court as in other cases of regular appeal, except that after the filing of the grounds of objection by the appellant, and before notice shall be given requiring the respondent to file his grounds of objection, the Sudder Court shall determine, according to the rules now applicable to the determination of such cases, whether or not the appellant shall be allowed to appeal *in formâ pauperis*.

Clause 5th.—If the Sudder Court allow the petitioner to appeal *in formâ pauperis*, notice shall be given to the respondent to file his grounds of objection in the manner provided by Section VII. of this Act, and the same procedure shall be adopted subsequently thereto as in other cases of regular appeal under this Act. The rules and conditions now applicable to persons admitted by the Sudder Court to appeal *in formâ pauperis* shall continue in force except where the same are inconsistent with any of the provisions of this Act.

Clause 6th.—If the Sudder Court refuse to allow the petitioner to appeal *in formâ pauperis*, the said Court may make an order to the effect that the appellant upon filing a petition of appeal in that Court, upon paper stamped with the stamp duty required by Article 8, Schedule B, Regulation X. 1829, and upon re-filing his grounds of objection on paper stamped with the stamp duty required by Article 9 of the same Schedule, may proceed with the appeal according to the rules prescribed by this Act in the case of persons not appealing as paupers.

Clause 7th.—Upon such order being made, the appellant shall file his petition and re-file his objections upon paper stamped with the stamp duty required by Clause 5 of this Section, within two weeks from the date of such order, or within such further time as the

said Court may allow for that purpose, otherwise the appeal shall stand dismissed.

Clause 8th.—Upon the re-filing of the grounds of objection according to the provisions of the last preceding Clause, notice of the order and of the re-filing of such objections shall be given to the respondent in the manner prescribed by Section VII of this Act, and the respondent shall be required to file his grounds of objection, if any, according to the provisions of that Section. The procedure subsequent to such notice shall be according to the general provisions of this Act.

Clause 9th.—If an appellant shall petition to appeal *in formâ pauperis*, his grounds of objection may be written on plain paper.

XIV. If an appellant shall be admitted to appeal or a respondent to defend *in formâ pauperis*, all grounds of objection subsequently filed by either party may be written on plain paper.

XV. No decision shall be reversed or altered, nor shall any case be remanded upon appeal to the Sudder Court on account of any error, defect or irregularity not productive of injury to either party, nor opposed to any express enactment contained in the general Regulations or Acts of Government.

XVI. This Act extends only to regular appeals which shall be presented after the passing of this Act in Civil cases appealable to either of the Sudder Courts in the Presidency of Fort William in Bengal.

GEO. PLOWDEN,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of India.

Draft Act.

Fort William, Home Department, Legislative,
The 28th October 1853.

THE following Draft of a proposed Act was read in Council for the first time on the 28th October 1853:—

ACT No. —— of 1853.

An Act relating to Appeals in the Civil Courts of the East India Company.

WHEREAS every case in appeal ought to be determined upon the merits without regard to technical errors or defects; It is enacted as follows:—

No order or decision of any of the Civil Courts of the East India Company shall be reversed, altered or remanded on account of any error, defect or irregularity not productive of injury to either party, nor opposed to any express enactment contained in the general regulations or Acts of Government.

Ordered, that the Draft now read be published for general information.

Ordered, that the said Draft be re-considered at the first Meeting of the Legislative Council of India after the 28th day of January 1854.

GEO. PLOWDEN,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of India.

Draft Act.

Fort William, Home Department, Legislative,
The 28th October 1853.

THE following Draft of a proposed Act was read in Council for the first time on the 28th October 1853.

ACT No. —— OF 1853.

An Act to explain and amend Act X. of 1851 *and Act XX. of* 1841.

WHEREAS doubts exist as to the limits within which certificates of administration to personal estates granted in pursuance of Section IV. Act. X. of 1851, by the British representative accredited to a foreign State or by the British Officer holding the highest executive authority in a district to which Act XX. of 1841 does not extend, and it is expedient to remove such doubts and also to amend the provisions of the said Acts; It is enacted as follows:—

I. Every such certificate of administration as aforesaid, which shall hereafter be granted, shall, as regards the public securities of the East India Company, give authority to the person to whom the same shall be granted throughout the territories in the possession and under the Government of the East India Company, and have the same effect throughout the said territories as a certificate granted under the provisions of Act XX. of 1841, as amended by Act X. of 1851, has within the Presidency within which the same is granted; provided always, and it is hereby enacted, that no certificate granted under the provisions of Act XX. of 1841, as amended by Act X. of 1851, or under the provisions of Act X. of 1851, shall empower the person certified to negotiate any Government note or share of a Bank or any share of such security, or to receive any interest or dividend due thereon, or any share of such interest or dividend, unless the Government note or Bank share shall be specified in such certificate.

II. Any Judge, British representative or other British Officer authorized to grant a certificate may from time to time extend the same to any Government note or Bank share not originally specified therein, and every such extension shall have the same effect as if the Government note or Bank share to which the certificate shall be extended had been originally specified therein.

III. Upon the extension of a certificate, security may be required in the same manner as upon the original grant of a certificate.

Ordered, that the Draft now read be published for general information.

Ordered, that the said Draft be re-considered at the first Meeting of the Legislative Council of India after the 28th day of January 1854.

GEO. PLOWDEN,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of India.

Notifications, Appointments, &c.

No. 33.

FORT WILLIAM,
FINANCIAL DEPARTMENT,
THE 8TH OCTOBER 1853.

Notification.

NOTICE is hereby given, that no claim, under the Notifications dated 23rd of April and 6th of June last, by Proprietors of the Five per Cent. Sicca Loans, to transfer the amount of their Notes into the Four per Cent. Loan of 1842-43, will be recognized after the 28th of November next.

Published by order of the Most Noble the Governor General of India in Council,

C. ALLEN,
Secretary to the Govt. of India.

No. 34.

FORT WILLIAM,

FINANCIAL DEPARTMENT,

THE 28TH OCTOBER 1853.

Notification.

NOTICE is hereby given, that all the Notes of the Five per Cent. Loan, bearing date the 30th of June 1841, from No. 19001 to the last number on the Register, will be discharged at the General Treasury in Calcutta on the 30th of January next, on which date the Interest thereon will cease.

Proprietors of the Notes hereby advertised for payment are permitted, on or before 30th of January next, to transfer the amount of their Promissory Notes into a new Loan, which shall bear Interest at the rate of Four per Cent. per annum, payable half-yearly on the 31st of December and on the 30th of June.

Proprietors who may transfer their Promissory Notes into this new Loan, through the Government Agent, shall not be subjected to the payment of the Fees prescribed in the Rules of the Government Agency for transferring Notes from one Loan to another.

All Officers authorised to receive subscriptions to Government Loans are hereby required to receive applications in writing from individuals who may desire to transfer the amount of their loans into the new Four per Cent. Loan.

These applications, together with the Promissory Notes in reference to which they may have been received, shall, without fee or expense of any kind to the proprietor, be transmitted to the Deputy Accountant General at Fort William, who will forthwith cause an entry to be made on the face of the Note acknowledging the transfer, and giving the number of the Note on the Register of the new Loan.

This entry shall be deemed tantamount to the issue of a new Note bearing Interest at Four per Cent. per annum, payable half-yearly on 31st of December and the 30th of June, and shall be in the following form:

"No —— Of the Four per Cent. Loan of 1854-55.

By transfer.

"Interest is payable on this Note at the rate of 4 per Cent. per annum, by half-yearly instalments, on the "31st December and the 30th of June."

Prompt settlement of the Principal and Interest at the rate of Five per Cent. per annum to the date of advertised discharge, will be made with proprietors who may tender their Notes for transfer into the new Loan; provided, however, that the Principal only will be transferred, and that the Interest up to the 30th of January inclusive will be discharged in Cash, as well as anticipation Interest up to the 30th of June 1854.

It is further notified, that the Most Noble the Governor General in Council has, for the accommodation of proprietors who are not in India, authorized the Deputy Accountant General to allow the conditional transfer of their Notes to the new Four per Cent. Loan, on the application of agents or friends, leaving it optional with the proprietors to confirm the transfer or to require payment in cash: provided however that no notice disallowing the transfer will be received after six months from the present date.

The Promissory Notes of the new Loan will not be re-payable until after the expiration of three months from notice of payment duly advertized in the *Calcutta Gazette*, under the authority of the Governor General of India in Council.

Published by order of the Most Noble the Governor General of India in Council,

C. ALLEN,

Secy. to the Govt. of India.

No. 35.

FORT WILLIAM,

FINANCIAL DEPARTMENT,

THE 28TH OCTOBER 1853.

Notification.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Sub-Treasurers at Fort William, Fort St. George, and Bombay, the several Residents at Native Courts, and the several Collectors of Land Revenue under those Presidencies, as well as the Collectors and others in charge of Treasuries under the Supreme Government and the Government of the North-Western Provinces, have been authorized to receive, until further Orders, any sums of money in even hundreds, of not less than 500 of Company's Rupees, which may be tendered on loan to the East India Company, at an Interest of three and a half per centum per annum, subject to the provisions hereinafter specified.

All authorized public demands, including audited Bills for arrears of Salary and Bills of Exchange on the public Treasuries, these last being subject to a deduction at the rate of three and a half per centum per annum for the period they may have to run, will be received as Cash at par.

The Pay-masters of the Army under the several Presidencies are also authorized to transfer any demands which may be payable by them respectively to this Loan, and to grant drafts for the amounts, in Bengal and Madras on the Accountant General, and in Bombay on the Military Pay-master General, which drafts shall be received by those Officers in payment of Subscriptions to this Loan, on being tendered to them for that purpose.

The several public Officers, authorized to receive subscriptions into this Loan, will grant acknowledgments, in the following form, for all sums received by them respectively:—

"I hereby acknowledge that A. B. has this day paid into the East India Company's Treasury the sum of
"Company's Rupees for which he is entitled to receive a Promissory
"Note bearing interest from the (28th February or 31st of August next as the case may be), of
"the tenor, and subject to the conditions of the Loan specified in the Advertisement published
"in the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 28th October, 1853."

The Deputy Accountant General at Fort William will, on the said acknowledgments being delivered, forthwith cause to be prepared and issued to the p ties entitled thereto, Promissory Notes under the signature of the Secretary to the Government of India, in owing form:—

"FORT WILLIAM, THE 28TH FEBRUARY 1854.

"Promissory Note at three and a half per centum for Company's Rupees . The
"Governor General of India in Council does hereby acknowledge to have received from A. B. the sum of
"Company's Rupees as a Loan to the East India Company, and does hereby promise
"for and on behalf of the said Company to repay the said Loan, by paying the said sum of Company's Rupees
" to the said A. B. his Executors or Administrators, or his or their Order, on
"demand, at the General Treasury of Fort William, after the expiration of three months' Notice of payment
"to be given by the Governor General of India in Council in the *Calcutta Gazette*, and to pay the Interest
"accruing on the said sum of Company's Rupees at the rate of three and a half per
"centum per annum, by half-yearly payments at the General Treasury of Fort William, to the said A. B., his
"Executors or Administrators, until the expiration of three months after such notice of payment as aforesaid,
"when the amount of Interest due will be payable with the Principal, and (such notice being considered equi-
"valent to a tender of payment at the period appointed for the discharge of the Note) all further Interest shall
"cease.

"Signed by the authority of the Governor General of India in Council,

"*Secretary to the Govt.*"

"*Accountant General's Office,*
"*Registered as No. of* ."

The several Officers authorized to receive subscriptions, will, on application from the holders of acknowledgments, transmit them (free of every expense whatever) to the Deputy Accountant General at Fort William, to be exchanged for Promissory Notes bearing Interest from the 28th of February or 31st of August next ensuing after the date of subscription. The Interest accruing on the broken period of the half year, that may intervene between the date of subscription and the 28th of February or 31st August next ensuing, as the case may be, will be paid up at the time of granting the acknowledgment.

Proprietors of Notes or acknowledgments who may desire to have the Interest payable at any other public Treasury than at the General Treasury of Calcutta, shall be entitled to receive it accordingly, provided they notify their wish to the Deputy Accountant General at Fort William, and transmit the Notes or acknowledgments to him to have an Order for the payment of Interest at the said Treasury written on the face of the Notes under the signature of the said Officer or that of his Assistant, and after such order shall, on the application of the proprietor, be inscribed on any Note, the Interest shall be payable only from the said Treasury unless the proprietor shall present the Note with an application, for the purpose of transferring the payment elsewhere to the Deputy Accountant General at Fort William.

The Promissory Notes of this Loan shall not be renewed, subdivided or consolidated except by the Deputy Accountant General at Fort William. The practice and rules heretofore in use in regard to the renewal, sub-division, and consolidation of Promissory Notes will be adhered to.

Published by order of the Most Noble the Governor General of India in Council,

C. ALLEN,
Secy. to the Govt. of India.

No. 722.

Fort William, Home Department,

The 2nd November 1853.

Notification.—The Most Noble the Governor General in Council is pleased to permit Mr. Welby Jackson to resign the East India Company's Civil Service from the date on which the Pilot may leave the Steamer *Bombay* at Sea.

GEO. PLOWDEN,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of India.

No. 36.

Fort William, Financial Department,

The 3rd November 1853.

Notifications.—The Hon'ble H. B. Devereux resumed charge of the Office of Government Agent and Secretary to the Government Savings Bank, from Mr. G. Adams, on the 2nd instant.

C. ALLEN,
Secy. to the Govt. of India.

No. 4663.

Fort William, Foreign Department,

The 22nd September 1853.

Notification.—The Most Noble the Governor General of India in Council is this day pleased to appoint Mr. George Alexander Bushby, C. S., to be Resident at the Court of His Highness the Nizam of Hydrabad.

No. 4664.

The 3rd November 1853.

The Reverend J. Sharkey to be Chaplain of Peshawur, from the 1st instant, as co-adjutor of the Reverend Mr. Maltby.

No. 4665.

The 4th November 1853.

Mr. R. S. Edwards to be Collector of Customs at Rangoon.

No. 4666.

Captain E. K. Elliot, Assistant Resident and Superintendent of Police and Bazars at Nagpore,

has obtained leave of absence for two months, from the 10th instant, or from such date as he may quit Nagpore, for the purpose of visiting Calcutta,—thirty days under Section XI., and the remainder under Section XII., of the Amended Absentee Rules.

Lieutenant W. H. Crichton, of the 50th Regiment Madras Native Infantry, is appointed to act as Superintendent of Police and Bazars and as Post-master at Nagpore, during the absence of Captain Elliot.

J. P. GRANT,

Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of India.

No. 1960.

Orders by the Most Noble the Governor of Bengal.

Appointments.—The 24th October 1853.—Mr. R. H. Perkins to be Civil Assistant Surgeon of Balasore, and Assistant to the Salt Agent in that District.

The 28th October 1853.—Mr. J. H. Mangles to be an Assistant to the Joint Magistrate and Deputy Collector of Bancoorah.

The 3rd November 1853.—Messrs J. H. Ravenshaw and W. Terry and Baboo Radhanath Gangooly to be Members of the Local Committee of Public Instruction of Midnapore.

Leave of Absence.—The 31st October 1853.—Mr. B. J. Colvin, Officiating Commissioner of Revenue, 11th or Patna Division, for one month, under Section XI. of the Amended Absentee Rules, retaining charge of his office.

Mr. E. B. Thring, Civil Assistant Surgeon of Pooree, for one month, under Section XI. of the Amended Absentee Rules, making over charge of his Medical duties to the Sub-Assistant Surgeon, Shama Churn Sircar.

Mr. C. F. Carnac, Magistrate of Moorshedabad, for fifteen days, under Section XI. of the Amended Absentee Rules, making over charge of his office to Mr. E. Jenkins, the Officiating Collector, who will officiate also as Magistrate during Mr. Carnac's absence, or until further orders.

By order of the Most Noble the Governor of Bengal,

CECIL BEADON,

Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

General Orders by the Most Noble the Governor General of India in Council.

Fort William, 4th November 1853.

No. 891 *of* 1853.—The following paragraphs of a Military letter, No. 115, from the Hon'ble the Court of Directors to the Governor of the Presidency of Fort William in Bengal, dated 21st September 1853, are published for general information:—

Vide Government General Order, No. 244, dated 19th April, and No. 500, dated 26th September 1851.

1. We have appointed Mr. Montague Charles Perreau, now abroad, a Cadet of Infantry upon your Establishment, subject to the usual conditions, and to his being found qualified agreeably to the prescribed test.

2. His order of rank will be transmitted in due course.

No. 892 *of* 1853.—The under-mentioned men are admitted to Pension, as specified opposite to their respective names, under the provisions of General Orders dated 5th February 1820, subject to the confirmation of the Hon'ble the Court of Directors:—

Bombardier Joseph Darlington, 2nd Troop 1st Brigade Horse Artillery,	One (1*s.*) Shilling per diem, payable in Europe.
Bombardier John Hand, 2nd Troop 3rd Brigade Horse Artillery, ...	Equivalent to (1*s.*) one Shilling per diem, payable in India.

Bombardier Darlington is allowed to retain his rank and pay till embarkation for Europe with the Invalids of the season.

No 893 *of* 1853.—The order issued to the Pegu Light Infantry Battalion, dated 11th October 1853, appointing Lieutenant H. Acton, of the 2nd Madras Native Infantry, doing duty with the Battalion to act as Adjutant, is confirmed.

No. 894 *of* 1853.—With reference to Government General Order, No. 707, of the 9th September 1853, the following Notification from the Foreign Department is re-published in General Orders:—

No. 4610, *dated 28th October* 1853.—The words "in addition to his other duties" in General Orders by the Governor General, dated the 6th ultimo, No. 3884, appointing Lieut. G. F. Carnegie, of the 44th Regiment Native Infantry, to officiate for Major Wakefield as Cantonment Joint Magistrate at Meean Meer, are cancelled.

No. 895 *of* 1853.—Gunner George Benson, of the 1st Troop 2nd Brigade Horse Artillery, and attached to the Civil Engineering College at Roorkee, having passed the prescribed examination, is appointed an Assistant Overseer in the Department Public Works, and placed at the disposal of the Military Board for employment in the 12th or Umballah Division.

Gunner Benson is transferred to the Town Major's list.

No. 896 *of* 1853.—The under-mentioned men are admitted to Pension, as specified opposite to their names, under the Provisions of Minutes of Council of the 11th January 1797, and General Order dated 5th February 1820, subject to the confirmation of the Hon'ble the Court of Directors.

Serjeant Ormond Stonehewer, of the 2nd Company European Artillery Invalids,	Thirty (30) Rupees each per mensem, payable in India.
Rough Rider Serjeant John Cornish, of the 3rd Brigade Horse Artillery,	

No. 897 *of* 1853.—The following Lists of Rank of Cadets and Assistant Surgeons appointed for the Bengal Presidency are published for general information :—

No. 4 *of* 1853.—List of Rank of Cadets for the Bengal Engineers, Cavalry and Infantry.

For the Engineers.

To rank from the 9th December 1850, the day on which he passed his public examination, and next below Mr. F. S. Stanton, (*vide* List No. 5 of 1852,) provided the ship by which he proceeds sails within the period prescribed by the Court's Regulations, *viz.* :

William Hichens, quitted Chatham, 31st Aug.

To rank from the 9th December 1850, pursuant to Court's Orders of the 6th October 1852 and 1st June 1853, and next below Mr. William Hichens, *viz.* :

Maximilian Goodwin Geneste, quitted Chatham 28th May 1853, ... } *Prince of Wales*, 29th August.

To rank from the 13th June 1851, the day on which they passed their Public Examination, and in the following order, *viz.* :

Henry Goodwyn, quitted Chatham 26th May, ... } Overland, 20th June.

William Raffles Tucker, quitted Chatham 3rd May, ... } *Monarch*, 26th July.

To rank from the 12th December 1851, the day on which he passed his Public Examination, provided the ship by which he proceeds sails within the period prescribed by the Court's Regulations, *viz.* :

James Palladio Basevi, quitted Chatham 5th July.

For the Cavalry.

To rank from the date of his departure from Southampton by the Overland route, *viz.* :

Rogers Adolphus Hamilton, *Ripon*, 4th August.

To rank from the date of the transmission by the Overland Mail of the para. announcing his appointment, provided he pass the prescribed Examination within the required period, *viz* :

Hugh Henry Gough, (abroad.) ..... } Para. *via Southampton*, 20th Aug.

To rank from the date of his departure from Southampton, by the Overland route, *viz.* :—

Burke Cuppage, ... *Indus*, 4th Sept.

For the Infantry.

To rank from the date of the sailing from Southampton of the ship by which he proceeded, *viz.* :

Arthur Parker Mew, ... } *Bosphorus*, 13th July.

To rank from the date of the transmission by the Overland Mail of the para. announcing his appointment, provided he pass the prescribed examination within the required period, *viz.* :

John Bartleman, (abroad.) } Para. *vid Southampton*, 20th July.

To rank from the date of the sailing from Gravesend of the ship by which he proceeded, *viz.* :

William George Cubitt, } *Monarch*, 26th July.

To rank from the date of their departure from Southampton by the Overland route, and in the following order, *viz.* :

Charles Kyrle Chatfield, ... } *Ripon*, 4th August.
Percy George Hutchison, ... }

To rank from the date of the sailing from Southampton of the ship by which he proceeded, *viz.* :

Richard Barton Hill, ... } *Queen of the South*, 15th Aug.

To rank from the date of his departure from Southampton by the Overland route, *viz.* :

John Gore Campbell, ... *Euxine*, 20th August.

To rank from the date of the sailing from Gravesend of the ships by which they respectively proceeded, and in the following order, *viz.* :

Henry McDonell DeWendt Dougl... .... } *Prince of Wales*, 29th August.
Robert Clifford, ... *Queen*, 30th Aug.,
William Waterfield, ... *Blenheim*, 2nd Sep.

Memo.—Mr. Minto Elliot having been allowed to visit his father at Bombay, his Seminary rank is to be preserved to him provided he arrives at Calcutta on or before the 11th January 1854.

(Signed) PHILIP MELVILL,
Secy. Mily. Dept.

EAST INDIA HOUSE, 14*th Sept.* 1853.

(True Copy.)

(Signed) J. D. DICKINSON,
Deputy Secy.

EAST INDIA HOUSE, *London*, 19*th Sept.* 1853.

No. 4 of 1853.

List of Rank of Assistant Surgeons for Bengal.

To rank from the date of the sailing from Gravesend of the ships by which they respectively proceeded, and in the following order, *viz.* :

Frederick James Chaldecott, M. D. .... } *Sir Robert Sale*, 1st July.
John Francis Tierney, ... } *Monarch*, 26th July.
Edward Taylor, ... } *Lord Dalhousie*, 1st August.
Richard Pope Jeston, ... *Alfred*, 11th Aug.

(Signed) PHILIP MELVILL,
Secy. Mily. Dept.

EAST INDIA HOUSE, 14*th Sept.* 1853.

(True Copy.)

(Signed) J. D DICKINSON,
Deputy Secy.

EAST INDIA HOUSE, *London*, 19*th Sept.* 1853.

No. 898 *of* 1853.—The Most Noble the Governor General of India in Council is pleased to make the following promotions :—

7th Regiment Light Cavalry.

Lieutenant Charles Wilbraham Radcliffe to be Captain of a Troop, ... } From the 1st of Nov. 1853, in succession to Captain Edward Innes Robinson, retired.
Cornet Augustus Joseph Boulton to be Lieutenant, }

Infantry.

Lieutenant Colonel and Brevet Colonel George Huish, C. B., to be Colonel, ...	From the 8th of Sept. 1853, in succession to Lieut.-General (Colonel) Henry Huthwaite, deceased.
Major Philip Goldney to be Lieutenant Colonel, ...	

4th Regiment Native Infantry.

Captain and Brevet Major David Wilkie to be Major,	From the 8th of Sept. 1853, in succession to Lieut.-General (Colonel) Henry Huthwaite, deceased.
Lieutenant John Elphinstone Fraser to be Captain of a Company, ...	
Ensign John Frederick Orchard to be Lieutenant,	

46th Regiment Native Infantry.

Lieutenant and Brevet Captain William Louis Mosheim Bishop to be Captain of a Company, ...	From the 1st of Nov. 1853, in succession to Captain and Brevet Major George Johnston, retired.
Ensign William Philip Connolly to be Lieutenant, ...	

R. J. H. Birch, *Lt.-Colonel,*

Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of India, Mily. Dept.

No. 1772.

Notification.—The 4th October 1853.—With reference to the Notification, No. 1388, dated the 21st July last, which appeared in the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 23rd idem, the following despatch from the Hon'ble the Court of Directors, together with the letter referred to therein, is published for general information.

Public Department.

Our Governor General of India in Council.

No. 48 of 1853.—With reference to our Despatch in this Department, dated 24th May last, No. 30, we forward copy of a letter which has been addressed to Her Majesty's Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs by the French Ambassador, stating the decision which has been come to by the Government of His Imperial Majesty in regard to Foreign prohibited goods which may be sent to the Universal Exhibition to be held in Paris in May 1855, and we request that you will give the greatest possible publicity to the liberal intentions of the French Government, as stated in Count Walewski's letter.

We are &c.,

(Sd.) Russell Ellice,

" J. Oliphant,

and other Directors.

London,
20th July 1853.

[Translation.]

London, the 22th of June 1853.

To the Right Hon'ble the Earl of Clarendon,

&c., &c., &c.

My Lord,

With reference to the Universal Exhibition which is to take place at Paris in 1855, several manufacturers have addressed the Minister of the Interior to know, first, whether articles of which the importation is prohibited in France will be admitted at the Exhibition, and secondly, whether on the close of the Exhibition, these articles will be admitted for home consumption, or whether they must be re-exported.

These two questions, my Lord, have received an answer in accordance with the enlightened views which indu ed the Government of His Majesty the Emperor to decree the Universal Exhibition of 1855. It has been consequently decided, not only that prohibited merchandize shall be admitted to the Exhibition, but also that, after it shall have closed, the exhibitors will have the option either to re-export the said merchandize free of duty, or to enter them for home consumption, on paying a duty of 30 per cent. *ad valorem*.

These conditions will be excluded in the general rules which are now under preparation, but in consequence of the opinions which appear to have been already excited abroad as to the rules affecting prohibited merchandize destined for the Exhibition of Paris in 1855, I have been charged with the honor of informing your Excellency of the resolutions adopted in this respect by the Government of His Majesty the Emperor. Your Excellency will perhaps consider it advisable to give immediate information of this arrangement to the manufacturers and artizans who are subjects of Her Britannic Majesty.

I have the honor to be,

&c., &c.,

(Signad) A. Walewski.

By order of the Most Noble the Governor of Bengal,

Cecil Beadon,

Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

Notification.

With reference to the Government Notification No. 34, of the 28th instant, intimating that Notes of the 5 per Cent. Loan of the 30th June 1841, from No. 19001 to the last number in the Register, may be transferred by the Proprietors, on or before the 30th January next, into a new Loan which shall bear Interest at the rate of 4 per Cent. per annum, styled "the 4 per Cent. Loan of 1854-55": It is hereby notified for general information that no transfers to the new Loan will be permitted after the 30th January next.

2nd. When applications for transfer or conditional transfer are made, the Officers authorized to receive such applications, under para. 4 of the Government Notification, will, without delay, calculate the amount of Interest due upon the Promissory Notes presented with them, at the rate of 5 per Cent. per annum, to the date of advertised discharge, viz., the 30th January 1854 inclusive as well as the amount of anticipation Interest, payable under para. 7 of the Government Notification, at 4 per Cent. per annum, from the 31st January to the 29th June 1854, both days inclusive, being exactly five months, according to the Rules in force in the Accountant's Office for the calculation of Interest.

3rd.—The said Officers will then cause receipts for Principal and Interest to be entered on the back of the Notes by the Proprietors or their authorized Agents in the following form:—

"*A.B.*—Received the Principal of this Five per Cent. Note by transfer (or conditional transfer

as the case may be) to the 4 per Cent. Loan of 1854-55, under the conditions of the Government Notification of the 28th October 1853.

Received the Interest due upon this Note, at the rate of 5 per Cent. per annum, from the to the 30th January 1854, in cash 000-0-0

Received anticipation Interest at 4 per Cent. per annum to the 29th June 1854, in cash 000-0-0

Total,... 000-0-0

and on this being done the amount of the Interest and anticipation Interest will at once be paid.

5th. The applications, together with the Promissory Notes, will then be forwarded to the Deputy Accountant General at Fort William, for the purpose of having the entry referred to in para. 6 of the Government Notification made on the face of the Notes.

6th. The Notes will then be compared with the Registers of the Loan Office, and on their being proved to be genuine and outstanding, the requisite entry will be made, and the Promissory Notes will be returned by the Deputy Accountant General to the Government Officers from whom they were received for presentation to the Proprietors.

It is declared in the Government Notification that the entry above referred to is "tantamount to the issue of a new Note," and that Interest will be payable on the strength of such entry "at the rate of 4 per Cent. per annum, by half-yearly instalments, on the 31st December and the 30th June."

8th.—When renewal, sub-division, or consolidation of the Notes is applied for, they will be renewed, sub-divided or consolidated by the Deputy Accountant General at Fort William, under the Rules heretofore in use, and fresh Notes will be issued in the following form :—

Fort William, the 30th June 1854.

PROMISSORY NOTE, { Company's 0000 Rupees, } AT 4 PER CENT.

No. *of* 1854-55, *Accountant General's Office.*

The Governor General of India in Council does hereby acknowledge to have received from ——

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the sum of Company's Rupees ——

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as a Loan to the East India Company, and does hereby promise, for and on behalf of the said Company, to repay the said Loan, by paying the said sum of Company's Rupees ——

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Executors, or Administrators, or —— their order, on demand, at the General Treasury at Fort William, after the expiration of three months' notice of payment, to be given by the Governor General of India in Council in the *Calcutta Gazette*, and to pay the Interest accruing on the said sum of Company's Rupees ——

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at the rate of Four per Cent. per annum, by half-yearly payments at the General Treasury of Fort William, to the said ——

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Executors, or Administrators, or —— their Order, until the expiration of three months after such Notice of payment as aforesaid, when the amount of Interest due will be payable with the Principal, and (such Notice being considered as equivalent to a tender of payment at the period appointed for the discharge of this Note) all further Interest shall cease.

By order of the Governor General of India in Council.

Secy. to the Govt.

9th. In making the entries in account, the *Principal* of the Notes transferred will be carried to the debit of the 5 per Cent. Loan of 1841 credit being given for the amount *per contra*, as a transfer to the 4 per Cent. Loan of 1854-55.

10th. All payments on account of *Interest* will be entered under that head.

11th. Applications for payment in *cash* of the Principal of the Notes advertised for discharge will be received only at the general Treasury at Fort William.

C. HUGH LUSHINGTON,
Officiating Deputy Accnt. General, to the Govt. of India.

FORT WILLIAM,
Loan Office,
The 29th October 1853.

Notification.

BILLS at par on the Public Treasuries of the under-mentioned Districts may be had on application to the Accountant to the Government of Bengal :—

DISTRICTS.	*Amount available on this Treasury.*	
Bograh, ...	50,000	
Burdwan, ...	1,73,000	
Dinagepore, ...	52,000	at 6 annas premium.
Jessore, ...	3,00,000	
Maldah, ...	20,000	at 4 annas premium.
Midnapore, ...	50,000	
Pubna, ...	50,000	
Purneah, ...	80,000	
Sylhet, ...	48,200	
Tipperah, ...	2,50,000	

C. HUGH LUSHINGTON,
Offg. Accountant to the Govt. of Bengal.

Accountant's Office,
The 2nd Nov. 1853.

CIVIL AUDITOR'S OFFICE.

Fort William, the 26th October 1853.

NOTICE.—All Officers of the respective Departments, Civil, Military, or Marine, who may have Salary or other Bills to submit to the Office of the Civil Auditor, are requested to have them prepared on a half or a full sheet of foolscap paper, as circumstances may admit, and to have the vouchers and certificates in support of them entered, when

আক্টোবর মোতাবেক সন ১২৬০ সাল তারিখ ১৩ কার্ত্তিক।

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General Post Office Notifications.

NOTICE is hereby given, that an after-Packet for the P. and O. Co.'s Steamer *Bombay* will be closed at this Office on Saturday, the 5th instant, at 12, Noon, with the chance of overtaking the vessel at Kedgeree.

J. R. BURLTON BENNETT,
Deputy Post-Master General, in charge.

Calcutta, General Post Office,
The 3rd November 1853.

THE Public are informed, that the Overland Expresses between Bombay and Calcutta will be discontinued from this date.

J. R. BURLTON BENNETT,
Deputy Post-master General, in Charge

Calcutta,
General Post Office,
The 31st August 1853.

LIST of Remaining Letters and Parcels Unclaimed which accumulated from the Months of January to March 1853.

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Tulloch, Captn R H D (5 letters)—Depy Commr Saugor and Nerbudda Territories, Saugor.
Turner, Captn John 51st N I—to be left at the General Post Office, Calcutta, till called for.
Turner, Captn V—1st Lt Covly, Calcutta.
Taylor, Esq Charles—Civil Service, Calcutta.
Trotter, Esq J—Civil Service, Dacca.
Taylor, Captn H (2 letters)—Post Office, Moulmein.
Toulinson, Esq J—4, Middleton Street, Calcutta.
Thompson, Mrs—Care of Clarke Esq, Asst Secy to Govt, Calcutta.
Tonge, Mrs Caroline—Dacre's Lane, Calcutta.
Turner, Mrs J—Wife of the late Captain Turner, Calcutta.
Turnnicliffe, Miss E—Care of Mr Baddely, Mirzapore, Calcutta.
Todd, Esq James C—At Mountain's Hotel, Esplanade Row, Calcutta.
Taylor, Esq John (2 letters)—Calcutta.
Thomson, Lieut R—33rd Regt, Barrackpore.
Taylor, Esq C B—Cuttack.
Thompson, Mr J A (2 letters)—Coolie Bazar, Calcutta.
Tarleton, Captn—Calcutta.
Tackk, Mr Joseph—Jew, kind care of Dr Duff, Calcutta.
Thomas, George W—Barque "Rhoehampton," Captn King, Calcutta.
Thompson, Mr G—General Post Office, Calcutta, to await his arrival.
Thompson, Captain E J—Invalid Establishment, Almorah.
Toogood, Captn—Commanding Steamer "Thackwell," care of F Smith, Esq, Dinapore.
Tippett, Mr J G—Medical Subordinate, General Hospital or Medical College, Calcutta.
Thompson, Lieut H L—68th N I, Cawnpore.
Treld, Mr William John—(of Castlemains,) care of Revd Mr Fordyce, Hindoo Female Missionary Free Church Society's Buildings, Calcutta.
Todd, Mr John (2 letters)—E Telegraph Station, Atcheepore.
Thompson, Mr S (2 letters)—On board the Steamer "Mirzapore."
Taylor, Esq George (2 letters)—Moorshedabad.
Turner Brothers Messrs—Calcutta.
Taris, Mr R—Seacunny on board the "Sultany," Rangoon Expedition.
Tiron, et Pandeile Messrs—Calcutta.
Taylor, Esq George (2 letters)—Barrasat.
Tupper, Colonel—Adjutant General, Bengal.
Thomson, Esq J H H—Calcutta.
Thoros, Mr Mackertich (3 letters)—Calcutta.
Thomson, Captn Augustus—Barque "General Sale."
Thompson, Mr W B—Steward, Ship "Lord Dalhousie."
Tonze, Monsr Multier a bord du "Sondary."
Thorp, Mr Charles—Ship "Maidstone."
Ted, Mr—Ship "Plantagenet."
Turnbull, Mr Thomas—Ship "Rajahgopaul."
Thom, David H—Ship "Trafalgar."

(To be continued.)

J. R. BURLTON BENNETT,
Deputy Post-master General, in charge.

Fort William;
General Post Office,
5th November 1853.

PROBATE of the last Will and Testament of *John Kirk*, late of Cawnpore, in the North-West Provinces of India, Merchant, trading under the name, firm or style of *John Kirk and Company*, deceased, has this day been granted by the Supreme Court, to *James Kirk*, of Cawnpore, Gentleman, and *Charlotte Louisa Kirk*, also of Cawnpore, the widow of the deceased, one of the Executors and the Executrix named in the Will. *All* persons having claims against the Estate, either in the individual name of the deceased, or in the name of his said firm, are requested to make them known to the said Executor and Executrix, or either of them; to whom those indebted thereto are likewise requested to make payment of their respective debts.

W. H. POE, *Proctor.*
Calcutta, 22nd October 1853.

Catherine *alias* Manee Bibee, *vs.* Maharajah Nreepaindrokistno Behadoor, } PURSUANT to an Order of the Supreme Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal, made in this cause on the Eleventh day of July 1853, the Creditors, Legatees and Annuitants of Raja Jaudubeudrokistno Behadoor, deceased, late of Saba Bazar in the Town of Calcutta, who died on or about the 21st day of March 1853, are hereby required to come in and prove their respective Debts, Legacies and Annuities before John Cochrane, Esquire, the Acting Master of the said Court, at his Office in the Court-House, on or before the 25th day of November next, or in default thereof they will be peremptorily excluded from the benefit of the said order.

JOHN COCHRANE,
Acting Master.

Smoult, *Plaintiff's Attorney.*

Calcutta:
Supreme Court, Master's Office,
The 27th October 1853.

Court for the Relief of Insolvent Debtors at Calcutta.

In the matter of John Andrews, of Elliot Road, in Calcutta, Head Clerk in the Home Department, an Insolvent. } Notice, that an application for an *ad interim* protection order has been this day made by the said Insolvent, and that such application will be heard and disposed of by the Acting Commissioner of the Insolvent Court, on Tuesday, the 8th day of November instant, at the hour of 10 o'Clock in the forenoon.

☞ *"Any Creditor of the said Insolvent desirous "of opposing such application do appear before the "said Court at the time and place aforesaid."*

Newmarch, *Attorney.*

Chief Clerk's Office, 1st November 1853.

In the matter of John Andrews, of Elliot Road in Calcutta, Head Clerk in the Home Department, an Insolvent. } Notice,—that the petition of the said Insolvent seeking the benefit of the Act XI. Vic. cap. XXI. was filed in the Office of the Chief Clerk in the 1st day of November instant, and by an order of the same date the estate and effects of the said Insolvent were vested in the Official Assignee.

In the matter of John Andrews, of Elliot Road, in Calcutta, Head Clerk in the Home Department, an Insolvent. } On Tuesday, the 1st day of November instant, it was ordered that the hearing in this matter shall be on the 6th day of January next, and that the said Insolvent do then attend to be examined by the said Court.

Newmarch, *Attorney.*

In the matter of William Bell, late of Esplanade Row in Calcutta, Saddle, Harness Boot and Shoe-maker, an Insolvent. } On Thursday, the 27th day of October last, it was ordered that the hearing in this matter shall be on the 6th day of January next, and that the said Insolvent do then attend to be examined by the said Court.

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Carruthers, *Attorney.*

Chief Clerk's Office, 2nd November 1853.

Bank of Bengal Rates.

Discount.

Private Bills and Notes, at or within 3 months,	5	per Cent.
Government Acceptances, do.,	3	„ „

Interest charged.

On Fixed Loans, not exceeding 3 months, on Deposit of Company's Paper,	4	„ „
On Deposit of Goods,	5	„ „

On Accounts of Credit, ½ per Cent. in excess of the above rates respectively.

WM. GREY,
Secy. & Treasurer.

Bank of Bengal,
8th September 1853.

Notice.

WILLIAM INNES, formerly Major of the 15th Regiment Native Infantry on the Bengal Establishment, (now retired,) ceased to be a Shareholder in the Simla Bank on the 3rd of September 1853.

NOTICE.—The undersigned will henceforth conduct business for the sale of COTTON and other PIECE-GOODS, MULE-TWIST, &c., under the firm of THOMAS ADAMES and Co.

THOMAS ADAMES.

NOTICE.—The interest and responsibility of Mr. Thomas Muir in our Co-partnership firms of Alexander Cullen and Co., of London, and of Cullen, Muir and Co., of Calcutta, ceased on the 31st October 1853.

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Calcutta, 1st Nov. 1853.

LOST, a Company's Paper, No. 46164 of 1841-42 for Co.'s Rs. 500.

THOS. LAIDLAW.

LOST.—First half of a Bank of Bengal Note, No. 27482, for Co.'s Rs. 50, payment of which has been stopped at the Bank.

JAUN MAHOMED.

LOST.—Following Halves of Bengal Bank-notes:

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„ 3550 }
„ 21231 } For 100 Rupees each.
„ 17816 }
„ 36655 }

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WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 9, 1853.

Legislative Enactments.

Passed Act.

Fort William, Home Department, Legislative, The 28th October 1853.

THE following Act passed by the Governor General of India in Council, on the 28th October 1853, is hereby promulgated for general information.

ACT No. XV. OF 1853.

An Act for the amendment of Procedure in cases of regular appeal to the Sudder Courts in the presidency of Fort William in Bengal.

WHEREAS it is desirable to simplify and shorten the procedure in regular appeals to the Courts of Sudder Dewanny Adawlut in the said Presidency; It is enacted as follows:—

I. Act IV. 1850, and Sections II., III. and IV. Act XXX. 1850, are hereby repealed, except as to appeals presented before the passing of this Act.

II. *Clause 1st.*—Every petition of regular appeal in a case appealable to either of the said Sudder Courts shall be presented to the Court in which the decision was passed within six weeks from the day of the decision. Such petition of appeal shall, except in cases of petitions under Section XIII. of this Act, contain only notice that the party, being dissatisfied with the decision, is desirous of appealing from it.

Clause 2nd.—The Sudder Court may extend the time for presenting such petition of appeal to the lower Court, upon being satisfied that there is sufficient cause for such extension of time. The application for such extension of time may be made directly to the Sudder Court, or through the intervention of the lower Court, at the option of the applicant.

III. On presentation of a petition of regular appeal to the Court, in which the decision was passed, notice thereof to the respondent, as well as a proclamation to the same effect, shall immediately issue from that Court; and a copy of the proclamation shall be forthwith fixed up in some conspicuous part of the Court House of the said Court. If the notice cannot be personally served, the proclamation shall at once be fixed upon the door of the respondent's dwelling house, or in some conspicuous place in the village or place where he usually resides; or in cases in which the respondent shall not have a fixed residence within the jurisdiction of the Company's Courts, the proclamation may be fixed upon the door of his house of business or cutcherry, or the notice may be served on his known local agent. In case the proclamation cannot be fixed or the notice served in the manner above-mentioned, the proclamation shall be fixed up in such other place, if any, as the said last mentioned Court shall direct. The nazir shall make a return to the Court stating when and where the notice and proclamation have been served or fixed up. The return of the nazir shall be filed in Court and shall form part of the record of the case, and such return shall be published by fixing up the same in some conspicuous part of the Court House of the lower court.

IV. *Clause 1st.*—The Rule in Section XI. Regulation VI. 1793, which directs copies of all original papers trasmitted to the Sudder Court with the record of an appealed case to be made out and deposited in the Court in lieu of the originals, is hereby modified, and it shall be necessary to copy, authenticate and deposit only the exhibits in the case, and also any other papers of importance, including the pleadings, or any parts of them which either of the parties shall require to be copied, authenticated and deposited in the lower Court previously to their being transmitted to the Sudder Court.

Clause 2nd.—If either of the parties require any papers to be copied, authenticated and deposited, such party shall either by himself or his pleader or authorized agent give notice in writing thereof to the lower court, before the expiration of fourteen days from the time of the publication of the return of the nazir as aforesaid. Such notice shall specify the papers which the party requires to be copied, authenticated and deposited.

Clause 3rd.—Either party may by himself or his pleader or authorized agent before the presentation of an appeal give notice in writing to the lower court, specifying any papers or documents which he requires to be copied, authenticated and deposited, in the event of an appeal being preferred.

V. The petition of appeal together with the record of the lower court shall be certified to the Sudder Court as soon as conveniently may be after the presentation of the petition of appeal. Provided that the same shall not be certified within the time allowed to the parties for specifying the papers which they desire to be copied, authenticated and deposited.

VI. On arrival of the appeal record at the Sudder Court, notice shall be affixed in the Court House of the said Court, requiring the appellant to file, within six weeks from the date thereof, his grounds of objection to the decision of the court below. Within the said space of six weeks the appellant shall file in the said Sudder Court his grounds of objection to the decision.

VII. *Clause 1st.*—On the filing of the grounds of objection by the appellant, notice shall be affixed in the Court House of the Sudder Court requiring the respondent to file his grounds of objection if any, to the appeal or to the decision of the lower court within four weeks from the date of such notice.

Clause 2nd.—Within the said space of four weeks, the respondent shall file any grounds of objection which he has to the appeal, or which relate to such parts of the decision as are involved in the appeal.

Clause 3rd.—If the respondent shall desire to object to any part of the decision of the lower court not involved in the appeal, he may present a separate petition of appeal to the Sudder Court within the said space of four weeks, or within such further time as the said Sudder Court shall allow for that purpose.

Clause 4th.—The respondent shall in such case file with his petition of appeal his grounds of objection to that part of the decision to which his appeal relates, otherwise his appeal shall not be received.

VIII. *Clause 1st.*—At the expiration of the time allowed to the respondent for filing his grounds of objection and for filing a separate petition of appeal in the Sudder Court, the record shall be deemed complete and the case ready to be called up for decision on any day which the Sudder Court may notify, unless the respondent within such time file a separate petition of appeal in the Sudder Court.

Clause 2nd.—If the respondent file a separate petition of appeal in the Sudder Court, notice shall be fixed up in the Court House of the Sudder Court to the effect that the respondent has filed such separate appeal, and the notice shall require the appellant to file any grounds of objection which he may have thereto, within the space of four weeks from the date of the notice.

Clause 3rd.—Within such space of four weeks the appellant may file any grounds of objection which he has to such appeal, or which relate to that part of the decision which is involved in the respondent's appeal. At the expiration of the time allowed for filing such grounds of objection by the appellant, the record shall be deemed complete, and the case ready to be called up for decision on any day which the Sudder Court shall notify for that purpose.

Clause 4th.—If the appeal of either party be dismissed or withdrawn, the appeal of the other may be heard alone; otherwise the two appeals and the proceedings thereon shall form one record, unless the Sudder Court shall otherwise order.

IX. The respondent shall not be allowed to present a separate petition of appeal in the Sudder Court, if he shall previously have presented a petition of appeal to the lower court.

X. *Clause 1st.*—All grounds of objection which shall be filed by either the appellant or the respondent, shall be stated distinctly and concisely without any argument or narrative of facts, and shall be numbered consecutively, and except in the cases herein-after-mentioned, shall be on paper bearing the stamp duty prescribed by Article 9, Schedule B, Regulation X. 1829.

Clause 2nd.—The Sudder Court may extend the time for filing grounds of objection either by an appellant or respondent upon special application for that purpose, and upon sufficient reasons being shown to the satisfaction of the said Court for such extension of time. In such case the objections may be filed within such extended time.

XI. Either party may, by leave of the Sudder Court or any judge thereof, at any time before the hearing, amend his grounds of objection or add grounds of objection to those filed, upon such terms and conditions, and within such time as the said Court or judge may order. The said Court may also, upon the hearing of any appeal, allow either party to amend his grounds of objection, or to add further grounds, or to urge and be heard by himself or his pleader in support of any objection not included in his grounds of objection, upon such terms and conditions as to postponement of the cause, and as to the payment of costs or otherwise, as the Court shall think just, to prevent the opposite party or his pleader from being taken by surprise or otherwise. Without such leave of the Court, neither party shall be allowed to urge or be heard in support of any objection not included in his grounds of objection filed. But the Court shall not be confined to such grounds of objection on deciding the cause.

XII. *Clause 1st.*—The Sudder Court may call up for hearing and decision on any day the Court shall notify, and without regard to the place in which the case stands in the general list of appeals, any grounds of objection filed by the respondent or the appellant to the appeal of the opposite party, and the Sudder Court may hear and decide upon such grounds of objection before calling the case up for decision upon the grounds of objection to the decision of the lower court.

Clause 2nd.—If the grounds of objection filed by the appellant, and respondent, shall be upon points of law only, and shall not raise any question of fact, the Sudder Court may order the case to be called up for hearing and decision on any day which the said Court shall notify, without regard to the place in which it stands in the general list of appeals pending in the said Court.

Clause 3rd.—If the grounds of objection filed shall raise questions of law and fact, and it shall appear to the Sudder Court that the decision of the law may render it unnecessary to determine any question of fact so raised, the Court may order the case to be called up for decision upon the law alone, in the first instance, in the manner pointed out in the last preceding Section, and if their decision of the case upon the law shall render it unnecessary to determine any question of fact, the said Court shall pass a final decision in the case, otherwise the Court shall determine the law only, and the case shall be afterwards set down in the list of regular appeals for hearing upon the question or questions of fact, and shall be determined in the same manner as any other regular appeal.

XIII. If any party to a regular suit be desirous of being admitted to appeal *in formâ pauperis* to the Sudder Court, the following procedure shall be adopted.

Clause 1st.—The appellant shall present his petition to the lower court according to the rules prescribed by Section II. of this Act. Provided that a petition to appeal *in formâ pauperis* against any decision passed before this Act shall come into operation, may be presented within three months from the day of the decision.

Clause 2nd.—Petitions of appeal by parties desirous to appeal *in formâ pauperis* shall contain a statement to that effect, and also a Schedule of the whole real and personal property belonging to the petitioner, and the estimated value of such property, and shall be written on paper bearing the stamp duty of two Rupees per sheet.

Clause 3rd.—Upon the presentation of such petition, the notice to the respondent and the proclamation shall state that the appellant desires to appeal *in formâ pauperis*.

Clause 4th.—On arrival of the appeal record at the Sudder Court, the same procedure shall be adopted in that Court as in other cases of regular appeal, except that after the filing of the grounds of objection by the appellant, and before notice shall be given requiring the respondent to file his grounds of objection, the Sudder Court shall determine, according to the rules now applicable to the determination of such cases, whether or not the appellant shall be allowed to appeal *in formâ pauperis*.

Clause 5th.—If the Sudder Court allow the petitioner to appeal *in formâ pauperis*, notice shall be given to the respondent to file his grounds of objection in the manner provided by Section VII. of this Act, and the same procedure shall be adopted subsequently

thereto as in other cases of regular appeal under this Act. The rules and conditions now applicable to persons admitted by the Sudder Court to appeal *in formâ pauperis* shall continue in force except where the same are inconsistent with any of the provisions of this Act.

Clause 6th.—If the Sudder Court refuse to allow the petitioner to appeal *in formâ pauperis*, the said Court may make an order to the effect that the appellant upon filing a petition of appeal in that Court, upon paper stamped with the stamp duty required by Article 8, Schedule B, Regulation X. 1829, and upon re-filing his grounds of objection on paper stamped with the stamp duty required by Article 9 of the same Schedule, may proceed with the appeal according to the rules prescribed by this Act in the case of persons not appealing as paupers.

Clause 7th.—Upon such order being made the appellant shall file his petition and re-file his objections upon paper stamped with the stamp duty required by Clause 5 of this Section, within two weeks from the date of such order, or within such further time as the said Court may allow for that purpose, otherwise the appeal shall stand dismissed.

Clause 8th.—Upon the re-filing of the grounds of objection according to the provisions of the last preceding Clause, notice of the order and of the re-filing of such objections shall be given to the respondent in the manner prescribed by Section VII of this Act, and the respondent shall be required to file his grounds of objection, if any, according to the provisions of that Section. The procedure subsequent to such notice shall be according to the general provisions of this Act.

Clause 9th.—If an appellant shall petition to appeal *in formâ pauperis*, his grounds of objection may be written on plain paper.

XIV. If an appellant shall be admitted to appeal or a respondent to defend *in formâ pauperis*, all grounds of objection subsequently filed by either party may be written on plain paper.

XV. No decision shall be reversed or altered, nor shall any case be remanded upon appeal to the Sudder Court on account of any error, defect or irregularity not productive of injury to either party, nor opposed to any express enactment contained in the general Regulations or Acts of Government.

XVI. This Act extends only to regular appeals which shall be presented after the passing of this Act in Civil cases appealable to either of the Sudder Courts in the Presidency of Fort William in Bengal.

GEO. PLOWDEN,

Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of India.

Draft Act.

Fort William, Home Department, Legislative,
The 28th October 1853.

THE following Draft of a proposed Act was read in Council for the first time on the 28th October 1853:—

ACT No. —— of 1853.

An Act relating to Appeals in the Civil Courts of the East India Company.

WHEREAS every case in appeal ought to be determined upon the merits without regard to technical errors or defects; It is enacted as follows:—

No order or decision of any of the Civil Courts of the East India Company shall be reversed, altered or remanded on account of any error, defect or irregularity not productive of injury to either party, nor opposed to any express enactment contained in the general regulations or Acts of Government.

Ordered, that the Draft now read be published for general information.

Ordered, that the said Draft be re-considered at the first Meeting of the Legislative Council of India after the 28th day of January 1854.

GEO. PLOWDEN,

Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of India.

Draft Act.

Fort William, Home Department, Legislative,
The 28th October 1853.

THE following Draft of a proposed Act was read in Council for the first time on the 28th October 1853.

ACT No. —— of 1853.

An Act to explain and amend Act X. of 1851 and Act XX. of 1841.

WHEREAS doubts exist as to the limits within which certificates of administration to personal estates granted in pursuance of Section IV. Act. X. of 1851, by the British representative accredited to a foreign State or by the British Officer holding the highest executive authority in a district to which Act XX. of 1841 does not extend, and it is expedient to remove such doubts and also to amend the provisions of the said Acts; It is enacted as follows:—

I. Every such certificate of administration as aforesaid, which shall hereafter be granted, shall, as regards the public securities of the East India Company, give authority to the person to whom the same shall be granted throughout the territories in the possession and under the Government of the East India Company, and have the same effect throughout the said territories as a certificate granted under the provisions of Act XX. of 1841, as amended by Act X. of 1851, has within the Presidency within which the same is granted; provided always, and it is hereby enacted, that no certificate granted under the provisions of Act XX. of 1841, as amended by Act X. of 1851, or under the provisions of Act X. of 1851, shall empower the person certified to negotiate any Government note or share of a Bank or any share of such security, or to receive any interest or dividend due thereon, or any share of such interest or dividend, unless the Government note or Bank share shall be specified in such certificate.

II. Any Judge, British representative or other British Officer authorized to grant a certificate may from time to time extend the same to any Government note or Bank share not originally specified therein, and every such extension shall have the same effect as if the Government note or Bank share to which the certificate shall be extended had been originally specified therein.

III. Upon the extension of a certificate, security may be required in the same manner as upon the original grant of a certificate.

Ordered, that the Draft now read be published for general information.

Ordered, that the said Draft be re-considered at the first Meeting of the Legislative Council of India after the 28th day of January 1854.

GEO. PLOWDEN,

Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of India.

Notifications, Appointments, &c.

No. 4741.

Fort William, Foreign Department,

The 4th November 1853.

Notifications.—The Most Noble the Governor General in Council is pleased to appoint Mr. R. Scott Moncrieff to be Collector of Customs at Mecaday.

Mr. Moncrieff assumed charge of his office on the 8th ultimo.

No. 4742.

The 7th November 1853.

Captain A. H. C. Sewell, Officiating Assistant, to be an Assistant to the Agent to the Governor General for the States of Rajpootana.

No. 4743.

The 8th November 1853.

Assistant Surgeon J. E. Dickinson, of the Madras Medical Establishment, to be Civil Surgeon at Rangoon.

J. P. GRANT,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of India.

No. 1993.

Orders by the Most Noble the Governor of Bengal.

Appointments.—The 27th October 1853.—Mr. H. M. Reid, Superintendent of Revenue Survey, 2nd or South Division, and Baboos Doorgapersaud Ghose and Taruchand Ghose, Deputy Collectors, attached to the same Division of the Revenue Survey, have been severally vested with the full powers of a Collector under Regulations VII. of 1822 and IX. of 1825, in the Districts of West Burdwan and Maunbhoom. The two latter Officers have also been vested with those powers in the District of Midnapore.

The 28th October 1853.—Baboo Nilmoney Mitter, Moonsiff of Baraset, has been vested with the full powers of a Magistrate in that district.

Mr. C. K. Done, a Deputy Magistrate in the district of Hooghly, has been vested with the special powers described in Clause 3, Section II. Regulation III. of 1821.

The 5th November 1853.—Doctor F. N. Macnamara to be Chemical Examiner to Government.

Leave of Absence.—The 21st October 1853.—Mr. C. Steer, Civil and Sessons Judge of Backergunge, for one month, under Section XI. of the Amended Absentee Rules, making over charge of his office to the Officiating Principal Sudder Ameen of the district.

The 4th November 1853.—Mr. G. N. Cheek, Civil Assistant Surgeon of Bancoorah, for one month, under Section XI. of the Amended Absentee Rules, making over charge of his Medical duties to the Native Doctor attached to the Jail.

The 5th November 1853.—Mr. H. B. Lawford, Assistant to the Magistrate and the Collector of Nuddea, for three weeks, under Section XI. of the Amended Absentee Rules.

Notification.—The 4th November 1853.—Mr. H. A. Cockerell, appointed by the Hon'ble the Court of Directors a Member of the Civil Service on the Bengal Establishment, reported his arrival at the Presidency on the 31st ultimo, on board the Steam-ship "Hindostan."

By order of the Most Noble the Governor of Bengal,

CECIL BEADON,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

Orders by the Government of the North-Western Provinces.

Judicial Department,

Agra, the 1st November 1853.

Leave of Absence.—Mr. John Paul Lyons, Sudder Ameen and Moonsiff of Goorgaon, for five days, from the 4th to the 8th instant, on private affairs.

By order of the Government, North-Western Provinces,

FRED. SHAW,
Offg. Asst. Secy. to Govt. N. W. P.

General Orders by the Most Noble the Governor General of India in Council.

Fort William, 4th November 1853.

No. 899 of 1853.—The following paragraph of a Military letter, No. 110, from the Hon'ble the Court of Directors to the Governor of the Presidency of Fort William in Bengal, dated 14th September 1853, are published for general information:—

We have permitted the under-mentioned Officers to return to their duty, *viz.*:

Major C. B. Michell,	Major J. S. Davies,
,, C. Vyvyan Cox,	
Capt. G. W. G. Bristow,	Capt. F. T. Wroughton,
,, H. W. L. Sneyd,	,, John Hood,
,, John Mill,	,, Walter Birch,
,, Charles Wright,	,, J. G. St. George,
,, H. R. Grindlay.	
Lieut. T. H. Smallpage,	Lieut. J. J. Farrington,
,, F. G. Thellusson,	,, Edward Leeds,
,, T. C. Darnell,	,, A. G. Bax,
,, F. N. Miles,	,, E. Fraser.
Ensign E. S. Whish,	Ensign J. Vallings.
Assistant Surgeon John Hilliard.	

2. The following Officers have been granted extension of leave for the period specified, *viz.*:

Colonel Patrick Grant, C. B., ... } 6 months.
Captain J. D. Willan, ... }
,, H. L. Blackburn, ... }
,, H. C. James, until September.
Lieut. F. D. Urquhart, 6 months,
,, E. J. Goodridge, ... } 3 months.
Ensign Charles Thomas, ... }

3. Brevet Major Samuel A. Lyons and Surgeon J. F. Bacon have been permitted to retire from the Service. Their retirements have effect from the dates specified, *viz.*:—

Major Lyons from the 29th June 1853.
Surgeon Bacon from the 8th May 1853.

Fort William, 5th November 1853.

No. 900 *of* 1853.—Assistant Surgeon R. H. Perkins has been appointed in orders by the Most Noble the Governor of Bengal, dated 24th October 1853, to be Civil Assistant Surgeon of Balasore and Assistant to the Sal[t] Agent in that District

No. 901 *of* 1853.—The leave of absence on private affairs, for three months, granted in general order by the Government of Fort Saint George, dated 15th August 1853, to Captain G. F. Shakespear, of the 26th Regiment Madras Native Infantry, to proceed from Moulmein to Madras, *viâ* Calcutta, is extended to remain at Calcutta until the departure of the Steamer which will leave Calcutta for Rangoon or Moulmein, on or after the 20th instant, and to the date of the arrival of that vessel at Moulmein.

No. 902 *of* 1853.—It is hereby notified for general information, that the under-mentioned Family Remittances of Commissioned and Non-commissioned Officers and Soldiers of the Royal Army, and the East India Company's Service, and effects and credits of deceased Commissioned and Non-commissioned Officers and Soldiers of the Royal Army, have been included in the General Quarterly Rolls, commencing 1st August 1853, and ending 31st October 1853, of the office of account, Military Department, which were forwarded to the Hon'ble the Court of Directors by the Peninsular and Oriental Company's Steamer *Bombay*, which left Calcutta on the 4th instant.

The Royal Army.

Sums paid into the Treasury of the Pay Master Queen's Troops, on account of Family Remittances and effects and credits during the months of August, September and October 1853.

East India Company's Forces.

Sums paid into the Pay Office Treasuries at the Presidency, Benares, Cawnpore, Meerut, Burmah, Umballah, Lahore, Gwalior, Jullundur, and Rawul Pindee, during the above months.

Fort William, 8th November 1853.

No. 903 *of* 1853.—The Most Noble the Governor General in Council is pleased to make the following appointments in the Department of Public Works:—

First Lieutenant H. Hyde, of Engineers, to the charge of the public works in the district of Peshawur, on the Staff allowance of a 2nd class division.

Second Lieutenant F. S. Stanton, of Engineers, to be Assistant to Lieutenant Hyde.

The duties connected with the district works will be carried on under the control of the Superintending Engineer Punjab Circle, and will be separate from the charge of those in the cantonment of Peshawur, which will continue under Captain Sale, Executive Engineer, Peshawur.

No. 904 *of* 1853.—Lieutenant E. Davidson, of Engineers, at present at Wuzeerabad, is appointed to officiate as Executive Engineer Cawnpore Division, *vice* Lieutenant G. Sim, nominated to another situation.

No. 905 *of* 1853.—Assistant Apothecary H. Davis, attached to the 5th Battalion of Artillery, is struck off the strength of the Subordinate Medical Department from the 1st June 1853.

R. J. H. Birch, *Lt.-Colonel,*
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of India, Mily. Dept.

No. 1772.

Notification.—The 4th October 1853.—With reference to the Notification, No. 1388, dated the 21st July last, which appeared in the *Calcutta Gazette* of the 23rd idem, the following despatch from the Hon'ble the Court of Directors, together with the letter referred to therein, is published for general information.

Public Department.

Our Governor General of India in Council.

No 48 *of* 1853.—With reference to our Despatch in this Department, dated 24th May last, No. 30, we forward copy of a letter which has been addressed to Her Majesty's Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs by the French Ambassador, stating the decision which has been come to by the Government of His Imperial Majesty in regard to Foreign prohibited goods which may be sent to the Universal Exhibition to be held in Paris in May 1855, and we request that you will give the greatest possible publicity to the liberal intentions of the French Government, as stated in Count Walewski's letter.

We are &c.,

(Sd.) Russell Ellice,
„ J. Oliphant,
and other Directors.

London,
20th July 1853.

[Translation.]

London, the 20th of June 1853.

To the Right Hon'ble the Earl of Clarendon,
&c., &c., &c.

My Lord,

With reference to the Universal Exhibition which is to take place at Paris in 1855, several manufacturers have addressed the Minister of the Interior to know, first, whether articles of which the importation is prohibited in France will be admitted at the Exhibition, and secondly, whether on the close of the Exhibition, these articles will be admitted for home consumption, or whether they must be re-exported.

These two questions, my Lord, have received an answer in accordance with the enlightened views which induced the Government of His Majesty the Emperor to decree the Universal Exhibition of 1855. It has been consequently decided, not only that prohibited merchandize shall be admitted to the Exhibition, but also that, after it shall have closed, the exhibitors will have the option either to re-export the said merchandize free of duty, or to enter them for home consumption, on paying a duty of 30 per cent. *ad valorem.*

These conditions will be excluded in the general rules which are now under preparation, but in consequence of the opinions which appear to have been already excited abroad as to the rules affecting aprohibited merchndize destined for the Exhi-

bition of Paris in 1855, I have been charged with the honor of informing your Excellency of the resolutions adopted in this respect by the Government of His Majesty the Emperor. Your Excellency will perhaps consider it advisable to give immediate information of this arrangement to the manufacturers and artizans who are subjects of Her Britannic Majesty.

I have the honor to be,
&c., &c.,
(Signed) A. WALEWSKI.

By order of the Most Noble the Governor of Bengal,

CECIL BEADON,
Secy. to the Govt. of Bengal.

Notification.

BILLS at par on the Public Treasuries of the under-mentioned Districts may be had on application to the Accountant to the Government of Bengal :—

Districts.	*Amount available on this Treasury.*	
Bograh, ...	50,000	
Burdwan, ...	1,73,000	
Dinagepore, ...	52,000	at 6 annas premium.
Jessore, ...	3,00,000	
Maldah, ...	20,000	at 4 annas premium.
Midnapore, ...	50,000	
Pubna, ...	50,000	
Purneah, ...	80,000	
Sylhet, ...	48,200	
Tipperah, ...	2,50,000	

C. HUGH LUSHINGTON,
Offg. Accountant to the Govt. of Bengal.

Accountant's Office,
The 2nd Nov. 1853.

Notice.

THE General Treasury will be closed on Wednesday the 9th and Thursday the 10th proximo, on account of the Hindoo holidays, Juggodhatree Poojah, and also Monday the 14th and Tuesday the 15th proximo, on account of the Kartick Poojah.

J. I. HARVEY,
Sub-Treasurer.

General Treasury, the 28th October 1853.

ADVERTISEMENT OF THE SOONDERBUN COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE.

NOTICE is hereby given that the pottahs of the under-mentioned Government Grants, situated in the limits of the Soonderbuns, in 24-Pergunnahs, will be put up for public sale at Noon, on Wednesday the 16th November 1853, corresponding with the 2nd Augran 1260 B. S., at the Office of the Commissioner in the Soonderbuns, Allipore.

2nd.—The highest bidder will be entitled to them, and must immediately pay to the Commissioner of the Soonderbuns the full amount of his purchase-money. The pottahs will be drawn up in his name, and made over to him with the confirmation of Government, and he will become the Grantee of the said Grant under the conditions prescribed in the pottah.

3rd.—It is further notified, that intending purchasers, who may wish to see the Map of the Grant, and desire to obtain any particulars connected with it and its present state, can learn the same by attending either personally or through their Agent at the Office of the Commissioner. These conditions and particulars will be proclaimed at the time of sale.

Number of Lots.		Roqubah.
106	.....	20,900
110	.....	31,000
111	.....	60,000
112	.....	29,000
113	.....	26,000
114	.....	62,000
115	.....	38,000
135	.....	28,000
140	.....	18,000
163	.....	38,000
168	.....	21,000
99	.....	21,900

و ما كنت سبين

Commissioner.

Soonderbun's Commr.'s Office,
Allipore,
The 29th October 1853.

সুন্দরবনের কমিস্যনরের দফুরখানার ইস্তাহার।

ইহার দ্বারা সংবাদ দেওয়া যাইতেছে যে জিলা ২৪ পরগনার মতালক সুন্দরবনের সীমা সরহদ্দের মধ্যে কাপ্তান হাজীশ সাহেবের নকসা ভুক্ত নিম্নের লিখিত লাটহার সংক্রান্ত জঙ্গল ভূমির পাটা আলিপুর মোকামে সুন্দরবনের কমিস্যনরের দফুরখানায় ইঙ্গরেজী সন ১৮৫৩ সালের ১৬ নবম্বর মোতাবেক বাঙ্গলা সন ১২৬০ সালের ২ অগ্রহায়ন রোজ বুধবার বেলা দুইপুহরের সময় নিলাম হইবেক যে জন অতিউচ্চা মূল্য ডাকেন তিনি তাহা পাইবেন তৎক্ষণে খরিদের সমুদয় টাকা কমিস্যনরকে দিতে হইবেক পরে পাটা তাহার নামে প্রস্তুত করিয়া গবর্ণমেণ্টের মঞ্জুরিক্রমে তাহাকে দেওয়া যাইবেক পরন্তু খরিদদার মজকুর পাটার নির্দ্দিষ্ট নিয়মানুসারে ভূমিতে দখল কার হইয়া রাজস্ব আদায় করিবেন আরো সংবাদ দেওয়া যাইতেছে যে খরিদকরণাকাঙ্ক্ষি যে কেহ ঐ জমির নকসা দেখিতে চাহেন তিনি আপনি কিম্বা মোক্তারকারের দ্বারা কমিস্যনরের দফুরখানায় যাইয়া দেখিতে পারেন এবং অপর নিয়মের বিশেষ বেওরা নিলামের সময় প্রকাশ করা

যাইবেক ইতি সন ১৮৫৩ সাল তারিখ ২৮ আকটোবর মোতাবেক সন ১২৬০ সাল তারিখ ১৩ কার্ত্তিক।

লাটের নম্বর				আন্দাজি রকবা
১০৬ নং	..	..	..	২০৯০০
১১০ নং	..	..	..	৩১০০০
১১১ নং	..	..	..	৬০০০০
১১২ নং	..	..	..	২৯০০০
১১৩ নং	..	..	..	২৬০০০
১১৪ নং	..	..	..	৬২০০০
১১৫ নং	..	..	..	৩৮০০০
১৩৫ নং	..	..	..	২৮০০০
১৪০ নং	..	..	..	১৮০০০
১৬৩ নং	..	..	..	৩৮০০০
১৬৮ নং	..	..	..	২১০০০
২৯ নং	..	..	..	২১৯০০

Sheriff's Office, the 9th November 1853.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a Sessions of Over and Terminer and Gaol Delivery, and also an Admiralty Sessions, will be holden by the Supreme Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal, for the Town of Calcutta and Factory of Fort William and the places subordinate thereto, at the Court-House, in the Town of Calcutta, on Monday the Fifth day of December next, at 12 o'clock at noon.

The Court will open on the first day of the Sessions at 12 o'clock at noon, and upon each succeeding day precisely at 11 o'clock in the forenoon, of which all persons are required to take notice.

F. BELLAIRS,
Sheriff.

শরিফ আফিস ৯ নবেম্বর ১৮৫৩ সাল

সমাচার দেওয়া যাইতেছে যে আগামি ৫ ডিসেম্বর ১৮৫৩ সাল সোমবার দুই প্রহরের সময় কলিকাতার ফোর্ট উইলেমের এবং তাহার অন্তঃপাতি যে সকল স্থান তন্নিমিত্তে বঙ্গদেশের ফোর্ট উইলেমের সুপ্রেম কোর্ট আপন আদালত ঘরে ওএরটরমিনর এবং এডমাইরেলটী অর্থাৎ মহা সমুদ্র সম্পর্কীয় মোকদ্দমা নিষ্পত্তি জন্য এক সেশিয়ান অর্থাৎ মিছিল করিবেন।

এই সেশিয়ান জতকাল পর্য্যন্ত বসিবেক তাহার প্রথম দিবস দুই প্রহরের সময় তাহার পর প্রতি দিবস এগারো ঘণ্টার সময় বসিবেক এবিষয় সকলে অবগত হাগুন।

F. BELLAIRS,
Sheriff.

Opium Notification.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Eleventh Sale of Opium, the Provision of 1851-52, will be held at the Exchange Hall on Monday, the 21st November 1853, at 11 A. M., and will comprise 3,290 chests, *viz.*:—

Behar Opium, ...	2,205
Benares ditto, ...	1,085
Total, Chests, ...	3,290

2nd. The general conditions of the Sale now advertised will be the same as usual. They may be ascertained by reference to the Notification issued on the 18th November 1852, and published in the *Calcutta* and *Exchange Gazettes*, or on application at the Office of the Board of Revenue.

3rd. The latest dates for deposit and clearance will be the 26th November and 6th December 1853, respectively, that is to say, no Sub-Treasurer's receipts, Company's paper, or other public securities that may be tendered for deposit in redemption of Promissory Notes given by purchasers at the Sale will be received after 4 P. M. of Saturday the 26th November 1853, and no Treasury receipts in full payment of lots will be accepted after 4 P. M. of Tuesday, the 6th December 1853.

4th. In addition to the quantity above advertised for sale, the following quantity, more or less, of Behar and Benares Opium of 1851-52, will be brought to Sale in the present year, on or about the date specified below. The Board, however, reserve to themselves the right of altering this date should circumstances render it expedient to do so.

	Behar, about Chests.	Benares, about Chests.	Total, about Chests.
On or about Thursday, 15th December 1853, ...	2,208	1,064	3,272
	2,208	1,064	3,272

By order of the Board of Revenue,

A. R. YOUNG,
Offg. Junior Secretary.

Fort William, the 7th November 1853.

SEALED TENDERS for the execution of the under-mentioned work will be received at the Executive Engineer's Office at Barrackpore, up to the 7th December 1853. The Tenders to be in the form given in the Contract Rules of the Department Public Works.

Store Rooms for Regiments of Native Infantry at Barrackpore.

M. C. LOFTIE, *Major*,
Offg. Ex. Officer, 1st Division.